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THE WARSHIPS SHELL SAMOANS

Mataafa's Followers Begin the Fighting.

KAUTZ IN COMMAND.

The Bombardment Lasted Eight Days.

British Cruiser Porpoise Co-operated With the Philadelphia.

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APIA, Samoan Islands, March 28, via Auckland, N. Z., March 30.—The troubles growing out of the election of a king of Samoa have taken a more serious turn and resulted in the bombardment of native villages along the shore by the United States cruiser Philadelphia, Admiral Kautz commanding, and the British cruisers, Porpoise and Royalist.

The bombardment has continued intermittently for eight days. Several villages have been burned, and there have been a number of casualties among the American and British sailors and marines.

As yet it is impossible to estimate the number of natives killed or injured.

As Mataafa and his chiefs, constituting the provisional government continued to defy the treaty after the arrival of the Philadelphia, Admiral Kautz summoned the various consuls and the senior naval officers to a conference on board the Philadelphia, when the whole situation was carefully canvassed.

MATAAFA LEAVES MULINUU.

The upshot was a resolution to dismiss the provisional government, and Admiral Kautz issued a proclamation calling upon Mataafa and his chiefs to return to their homes.

Mataafa evacuated Mulinuu, the town he had made his headquarters, and went into the interior.

Herr Rose, the German consul at Apia, issued a proclamation supplementing the one he had issued several weeks before, upholding the provisional government. As a result of this the Mataafans assembled in large force and hemmed in the town.

The British cruiser Royalist brought the Malietoa prisoners from the islands to which they had been transferred by the provisional government.

The Americans then fortified Mulinuu, where 22,000 Malietoans took refuge. The rebels—the adherents of Mataafa—barricaded the roads within the municipality and seized the British houses.

An ultimatum was then sent to them, ordering them to evacuate, and threatening them, in the event of refusal, with a bombardment to commence at 1 o'clock on the afternoon of March 15.

REBELS BEGIN THE ATTACK.

This was ignored, and the rebels commenced an attack in the direction of the United States and British consulates about half an hour before the time fixed for the bombardment. The Philadelphia, Porpoise and Royalist opened fire upon the distant villages. There was great difficulty in locating the enemy, owing to the dense forest, but several shore villages were soon in flames.

A defective shell from the Philadelphia exploded near the American consulate and the marines outside narrowly escaped. A fragment struck the leg of Private Rudge, shattering it so badly as to necessitate amputation. Another fragment traversed the German consulate, smashing the crockery. The Germans then went on board the German cruiser Falke.

BRITISH SAILORS SLAIN.

During the night the rebels made a hot attack on the town, killing three British sailors. A British marine was shot in the leg by a sentry of his own party, another was shot in the foot and an American sentry was killed at his post.

The bombardment continuing, the inhabitants of the town took refuge on board the Royalist, greatly crowding the vessel.

Many people are leaving Samoa, the captain of the Royalist urging them to go, so as not to interfere with the military operations.

The Porpoise has shelled the villages east and west of Apia and captured many boats.

The Americans and British are fighting splendidly together, but there is a bitter feeling against the Germans.

Two men, a British and a German subject, have been arrested as spies.

The bombardment of the jungle was for a time very hot.

The British cruiser Tauranga, which, it is understood, was intending to annex the Tonga island (a section of the Friendly islands in the Pacific), was intercepted at Suva, capital of the Fiji islands, by order of the home government.

A GERMAN VERSION.

Official Dispatch Received at Berlin From Apia.

BERLIN, March 30.—A brief official dispatch from Apia, Samoa, dated March 20, says:

"The bombardment continues. In pursuance to military orders the whites have evacuated many houses.

"The chiefs of the Tanus party who were exiled to other islands have been brought back from Upolu.

"The firearms and ammunition taken from Tanus on January 2nd have been returned."

NO OFFICIAL ADVICES.

State Department Is Anxiously Awaiting Details from Samoa.

WASHINGTON, March 30. — The state department has not yet received official advices relating to the occurrences in Samoa. The demonstration is regretted, but the opinion is expressed that Admiral Kautz acted on what was his best judgement and information.

The department acknowledges that no permanent agreement can be reached under the treaty in which all three powers do not agree, and the hope is that some settlement of the difficulty may be brought about, when it becomes apparent that the present conditions cannot exist indefinitely.

Admiral Kautz acted within his instructions. It is believed that he concluded after consultation with Captain Sturdee, of the Porpoise, the senior British naval officer, and the United States and British consuls that a state of anarchy existed which called for action. The fact that the edicts of the chief justice were disregarded and were ignored, although sustained by the representatives of two of the governments, made such a course imperative. There is no doubt, with the facts now at hand, that Admiral Kautz will be sustained by the United States government.

No word has been received from Rear Admiral Kautz, although a cable is momentarily expected.

The regulations of the navy department require the immediate report of any occurrence out of the ordinary and Assistant Secretary Allen, who is acting secretary in the absence of Secretary Long, entertains no doubt that Rear Admiral Kautz's report is on the way.

While the press reports agree that there is a direct issue between the American and British authorities on the one hand and the German upon the other, raised by the action of the German consul, Herr Rose, in supporting by proclamation the contentions of Mataafa and his rebel followers, hope is yet expressed that it will develop that representatives of the three powers signatory to the Berlin treaty were acting in unison against the pretensions of the rebel chief. The officials at the navy department hardly believe a contingency could arise which would result in an actual clash between the naval forces. The great preponderance of strength on the one side as represented by the American cruiser Philadelphia and the British cruisers Porpoise and Royalist over the single German warship in the harbor would render the issue of a collision so certain that no one is rash enough to imagine that an actual combat could occur.

DISPATCH FROM KAUTZ.

The Admiral Says the Situation is Improving at Samoa.

WASHINGTON, March 30.—Assistant Secretary Allen, of the navy department, has issued the following statement:

The latest dispatch from Admiral Kautz is as follows:

"Auckland, March 29.—Secretary of Navy, Washington: Situation is improving since telegram of 18th via Sydney, New South Wales.

"KAUTZ."

This is the only dispatch received from Admiral Kautz at the navy department, assistant Secretary Allen says. As will be observed, it contains no details concerning the reported trouble at Apia. Even the date on which it was dispatched from Apia is not given, but it is presumed that it left Samoa on the 23d, the date upon which the steamer which conveyed the press dispatches from Apia to Auckland sailed. The dispatch of the 18th, to which Admiral Kautz refers, was not given out at the time of its receipt here, and even now Secretary Allen declines to make it public. It is known, however, that it reported

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RIVER HORROR OVERDRAWN

Only Three Lives Lost on Rowena Lee.

BOAT BROKE IN TWO.

Nearly All Aboard Were Rescued.

Officers of the Lee Line Learn Particulars—A Long Run of Bad Luck.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., March 30.—A telephone message to Captain Robert E. Lee, general manager of the Lee line of steamers, from Carruthersville, Mo., announces the loss of the steamer Rowena Lee in midstream near Tyler, Mo., at 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

Three people lost their lives.

The dead:

M. T. Kelly, Memphis, mail clerk.

Mrs. Chambers, a passenger, embarked at Carruthersville, bound for Memphis.

An unknown negro woman.

The startling information was received here last night from Cairo that the Rowena Lee had foundered in the Mississippi river near Tyler, Mo., and all on board had perished save the captain and an under officer of the steamer. It was estimated that between fifty and sixty people went down with the ill fated vessel. The news spread rapidly throughout the city and relatives and friends of those known to have been on board the vessel thronged the telegraph and newspaper offices, frantically asking for details of the catastrophe.

Robert E. Lee, the general manager of the company, gave out a statement during the night that he had received a message announcing the loss of the steamer, but after repeated effort further news could not be obtained from the scene of the disaster.

At an early hour this morning telephone connection was secured to Carruthersville, Mo., by the officials and a few minutes later the announcement was made that the Rowena Lee had sunk in thirty feet of water off the landing at Tyler, and three persons were drowned. It is assumed that the remainder of the passengers and crew are at Tyler or New Madrid.

The steamer Ora Lee has been hurriedly dispatched to the scene of the disaster.

ANOTHER ACCOUNT OF IT.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., March 30.—A special to the Post-Dispatch from Cairo, Ill., says:

The Ora Lee was coming up the river at the time the Rowena Lee sank and at once began the work of rescue. She was at Tiptonville this morning and while there the Post-Dispatch correspondent telephoned a Mr. Eastwood, of that place, and learned from him that only four persons were lost according to the report of the officers of the Ora Lee.

The four persons who lost their lives are:

M. T. Kelly, mail clerk, Memphis.

Mrs. Chambers, a passenger.

Unknown woman passenger.

A member of the crew, supposed to be a deck hand.

The passenger list was small, and among those on board at the time were Clay Lewis, of Cairo; Miss Nellie Morehouse, of Memphis, who had been in this city visiting her sister, Mrs. Coleman.

There were others whose names it is impossible to learn at this time.

The explosion theory is not entertained here, and from the best information which can be obtained, the disaster was caused in this way:

The river at Tyler is over the banks and the boat in landing ran up almost to the street of the little town. In backing to the landing, it is thought, the boat ran onto a stump and broke in two. She floated down the river some distance and sank, and will prove a total loss.

The steamer left here Tuesday evening and Agent Sam Halliday, at the wharf boat here, states that she had a light passenger list and a light freight trip.

A RUN OF BAD LUCK.

CAIRO, Ill., March 30.—The Lee line of Mississippi packets has had a run of bad luck during the last ten years. The new James Lee, one of the fastest steamers that ever plied the river runs, followed the older James Lee, in 1894, being burned while moored at Hopefield Bend, ten miles above Memphis. The Rowena and the Rosa Lee, named after Captain Lee's daughters, were continued in local and upper Mississippi river service. The Rosa Lee was sunk less than a year ago and the disaster to the Rowena Lee is a last chapter in the series of river horrors.

The Lee line steamers was established more than half a century ago by the father of the present Captain James Lee, who bore the same name.

The cotton packet and local business was highly profitable until the river became parallaled fifteen or twenty years ago with railroads, and since then the business has been gradually going from bad to worse.

The Lee line is the last survivor of a number of large local lines of a quarter of a century ago and recalls the days when the James Lee and the Kate Adams would race from Helena or Arkansas City for the honor of bringing in the first bale of cotton and the arrival of a big anchor line packet loaded with sugar and molasses was an event of more than passing moment.

TALK OF DELEGATES

To the Czar's Disarmament Congress.

Richard Olney Spoken of as a Possible Representative of the United States—Other Names.

WASHINGTON, March 30.—The president has under consideration the naming of delegates to the czar's disarmament congress, which is to be held at The Hague beginning May 18th next. Since the congress is to meet at The Hague it is expected that the Netherlands government will issue invitations to the various powers, offering the official courtesies of the capital. Until then the names of the delegates may not be announced.

There has been little discussion in official quarters of individual names. The selection of Sir Julian Pauncefote as one of the British delegates—largely because of his service in negotiating the Olney-Pauncefote treaty—has led to the mention of Mr. Olney's name as a possible American delegate. Another mentioned is that of John Bassett Moore, assistant secretary of state under Judge Day, and one of the moving figures in the recent peace negotiations with Spain.

Mr. Moore's name comes up through his literary contributions to the subject of disarmament. He has recently completed a treatise on arbitration, comprising several volumes, published by the government, which is said to be the most exhaustive treatment of the subject ever attempted.

The understanding also is that it would be agreeable to the friends of Archbishop Ireland if that eminent Catholic prelate were appointed. At first it was thought that Ambassador Charlemagne Tower might be designated to go from St. Petersburg to attend the congress, but this may be given up as appearing rather a perfunctory recognition of the czar's invitation.

The British delegates have not been officially announced, but Sir Julian Pauncefote will be one of them, and the other may be of even higher rank than ambassador. In case the continental powers select their foremost men, Great Britain, it is understood, will likewise select from those who have been former ministers of foreign affairs and heads of cabinets. In that event it is surmised in unofficial but trustworthy quarters that Sir Julian's associate at the congress might be Lord Roseberry, who headed the liberal ministry when Gladstone put aside the leadership.

PAID DEBT BY MARRIAGE.

Indiana Widower Unable to Collect Notes Given by His Wife.

INDIANAPOLIS, March 30.—Willis R. Gosnell, a wealthy citizen of Montgomery county, lost a widow a large sum of money to pay off certain incumbrances on her land and subsequently they were married.

He held her notes for the money loaned and it was not questioned that she used it to pay off her debts. She died a few years later and Gosnell presented the notes against the estate that she left. Payment was refused and he brought suit to recover the amount.

The supreme court has decided that he could not collect the money and held that it was clearly a common law rule that a woman discharges all her indebtedness to her creditor when she marries him, and that this rule has not been abrogated by statute in this state.

Cleveland Not Invited.

PRINCETON, N. J., March 30.—Ex-President Grover Cleveland was asked today whether he expected to attend the Belmont ten-dollar Jefferson dinner to be given in New York City on April 13. He said he had not received an invitation. All he knew about the dinner was what he had seen in the papers.

James Allen, of Greenwich, Ohio, is in the city.

PRESSING ON TO MALOLOS

Americans Near Filipino Stronghold.

WITHIN SIGHT OF IT.

The Advance Has Become Difficult.

Trenches Enclosing the City Are Strong and Fighting Must Follow.

WASHINGTON, March 30.—With the American forces within three and a half miles of the insurgent capital, interest in the military movement north of Manila has about reached the culminating point. It was stated at the war department today that the march of three and a half miles might take all of today in view of the successive lines of rebel entrenchments and the strong earthworks which it is believed the rebels have thrown up immediately around the city. In that event the storming of the city itself would not begin until tomorrow. There is no certainty, however, that the short distance may not be compassed early today so as to permit an assault late today or during the night.

General Corbin was of the opinion that the attack would begin today.

Major Simpson of the military information bureau has made a final readjustment of the American position, showing just how the approach to the insurgent capital will be executed. It shows the brigade of Hale stretched out on the right and that of Harrison Gray Otis on the left. Each brigade in advance line is made of seasoned volunteers, with four batteries of the third artillery, these being the only regulars. But just back of them, and midway between the two advance brigades, is the strong force of Wheaton, which has been kept from the arduous work of the last few days and held as a sort of battering ram. It is made up mainly of regulars, the Twenty-second infantry and the Third infantry, as well as one regiment of volunteers, the Second Oregon, which has seen some of the hardest fighting of the war. It is expected that the reserve force of Wheaton will be heard from when the main assault begins. Hale's advanced column on the right is made up of the First Nebraska, First South Dakota, First Colorado, and the First Wyoming.

Otis' advanced column on the left is made up of the Twentieth Kansas, First Montana, four batteries of the Third artillery, the Thirteenth Minnesota and the Tenth Pennsylvania. The Minnesota regiment was sent forward from the waterworks yesterday in order to strengthen the advance line for the final assault.

WAGES OF SIN.

A Bluffton Girl Comes to Fort Wayne and Goes Wrong.

The Bluffton News has the following which may lead toward the discovery of the mother of the babe who was left on the doorstep at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kramer a few days ago:

"A case which has many sad features to it, exists in Fort Wayne and is known to but few parties in this city. A young girl, whose reputation in Bluffton at one time was good, has drifted into ways that yield the wages of death. A few weeks ago there was born to the girl a fatherless daughter. The case is peculiarly sad because until very recently the girl involved seemed to be respectable in her way of life. A few evenings ago a babe was left on the doorstep of a Fort Wayne residence, and the little one had been adopted by the residents. Whether there is any connection between the two incidents has been a matter of conjecture."

W. W. ASTOR IS A FOREIGNER

Declares to Customs Authorities That He is a Resident of Great Britain.

NEW YORK, March 30.—William Waldorf Astor, owner of the Pall Mall Gazette, when he arrived here on the Majestic, in answer to the interrogatories of one of the customs officers, described himself as a foreigner and a resident of Great Britain. This reply relieved him of answering such questions as are required by law to be put to returning Americans regarding purchases made while abroad. Mr. Astor said that he was accompanied by his sons, Waldorf and John, his daughter, Pauline, her maid and a man servant, and that altogether they had twenty trunks.

Easter presents intended for friends here, he further said, he had forwarded by express and they would pass through the custom-house. Mr. Astor and his family occupied six state-rooms on the liner and had also a private dining-room on the upper deck. This kept the family aloof from the other 300 saloon passengers on the Majestic during the voyage. Mr. Astor refused to be interviewed while the steamer was coming up the bay.

To a few friends Mr. Astor made aboard the boat on the trans-Atlantic trip he said that his health had not been of the best, and he thought an ocean voyage might do him some good. Acting on that idea, he had taken passage at the last moment on the Majestic. In the course of a week he expects to be on his way back to England. Mr. Astor further explained that as his children desired to spend Easter with relatives here he had brought three of them with him, leaving the fourth at home.

THE DEATHS.

Mrs. Miles Wyatt died at her home, one mile north of Huntertown, at 1 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, after an illness of but two hours. She was in her usual health up to 11 o'clock of that day, and her death was entirely unexpected. She was forty years of age, and a husband and four children survive her. The funeral occurred today.

OETTING.

Ida Oetting, daughter of Louis Oetting, died of diphtheria at 4 o'clock this morning at the family home on the Piqua road, four miles south of this city. The girl's age was twelve years, seven months and twenty days, and her illness was of but one week's duration. The funeral occurs today at 4 o'clock at the residence, and is private. Interment at the Franke Lutheran cemetery.

SHONESON.

Estella Shoneson, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Shoneson, died at the home, 9 French avenue, last evening of exhaustion. The little one was but two weeks old. Funeral this afternoon.

GRUBER.

The funeral of the late Michael J. Gruber will occur at the family residence, 18 Wilt street, Monday morning at 8:30, and later from St. Paul's Catholic church, where Mr. Gruber was a leading member of the choir. He was formerly engaged in the grocery business with his brother, Ed., and later was the proprietor of the Victor cigar factory up to the time of his death. His father was killed some months ago by a Pittsburg train. Besides his widowed mother, he leaves three brothers and sisters, Frank J., Jacob J., Edward J., Mrs. J. F. Winbaugh, of Oak street, Miss Carrie Gruber and Sister M. Veronica, belonging to the order of Poor Handmaids of Christ, who arrived yesterday to attend the funeral. Mr. Gruber was a member of Father Edward Council, C. B. L., and the Young Men's sodality.

LIBBING.

The remains of the late John Libbing were shipped to Sturgis, Mich., at 4:25 o'clock this afternoon on the Grand Rapids and Indiana instead of Friday morning as previously announced. There was a short service, conducted by Rev. Maurice Samson, at 77 Dawson street.

SEED DISTRIBUTION.

Agricultural Department Advertises for Bids.

WASHINGTON, March 30.—The department of agriculture has issued a formal advertisement inviting proposals for furnishing field, flower and vegetable seeds to the government for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1900, all bids to be filed not later than April 20. The seeds, together with all material necessary for their distribution and all labor concerned therewith, the necessary printing on seed packets and the place for conducting and carrying on the distribution work are to be at the expense of the contractor, not the government. In a word the seeds are to be furnished already for mailing in packages of five or more packets each. All work of putting up and distributing them is to be done in this city.

There will be in round numbers 18,000,000 packets of vegetable seeds 1,000,000 of flower seeds, 91,000 of tobacco, 23,000 of cotton and 30,000 of lawn grass.

An Art Lecture and Chalk Talk.

A. Montgomery, artist genre, has been secured by Rev. J. S. Ainslie and his congregation to give a lecture and chalk talk after supper at the church next Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. Rev. Ainslie is a sort of Christopher Columbus when it comes to discovering good things. Mr. Montgomery is a student of Thomas Nast and is rated as a chalk talker with Frank Beard.

DANCED THE HEMPEN JIG

E. Bates Soper Hanged in Missouri.

KILLED HIS FAMILY.

Buried a Baby Daughter Alive.

Confessed to the Murder of His Father Nearly Twenty Years Ago.

HARRISONVILLE, Mo., March 30.—E. Bates Soper was hanged here today. He refused to have any spiritual counselor. Soper fell seven feet, breaking his neck. The execution was witnessed by forty persons.

Soper slept soundly last night, and when he awoke declared himself ready. He waived the reading of the death warrant, mounted the scaffold firmly, and when the sheriff asked if he had anything to say, he replied:

"All is ready."

The crime for which he was executed was the murder of his wife and their two daughters, aged four and six years. Soper ran a butcher shop. One day in April, 1891, he announced that he had learned that there was a "blind tiger," or an illicit saloon in town and that he could not live in a place so wicked. He sold his shop and disappeared. Four days later neighbors broke in the Soper home and found the mother and children dead in bed. The heads of all had been crushed with an axe. Soper had left a note saying he could not properly support his family and that he believed they would be better off dead.

Soper went to Portland, Ore., and taking the name of Prentice, married a respectable widow. In April, 1897, he deserted his second wife, taking their two-year-old child with him.

He afterwards killed the child, choking it into insensibility and burying it alive. Later Soper, under the name of Homer Lee leased and worked a small fruit farm near Ashland, Cal., where he was captured June 11, 1897. After being landed in jail here Soper confessed, not only the killing of his wife and two children in Missouri, and his child in Oregon, but admitted the murder, in 1880 of his father.

According to his own story, on the evening of the last named murder, Soper started to attend a literary society. On the way he met his father and shot and killed him. Throwing his revolver away, he proceeded to the society and took part in the exercises as if nothing had happened.

TOMMY JAGGERS HOME.

The London Messenger Boy Completes His Trans-Atlantic Trip.

LONDON, March 30.—William Thomas Jaggers, the British messenger boy who was recently sent from London by Richard Harding Davis to deliver messages ahead of the mails to friends of Mr. Davis in New York, Philadelphia and Chicago, arrived in this city on his return trip at 10 o'clock this morning, some hours after the mails of the American line steamer St. Louis, in which vessel Jaggers sailed from New York, were delivered.

Mr. Davis and a party of friends awaited the messenger at the Waterloo railroad station, and presented Jaggers with a silver medal inscribed: "Richard Harding Davis to William Jaggers."

ERECT NEW SCHOOLS.

Action Necessary to Accommodate the Advanced Scholars.

Several of the township trustees of Allen county have signified their intention of erecting graded schools for the accommodation of the more advanced scholars who have heretofore been transferred to the High school.

Trustee C. Sahlandroff, of Adams township, will erect a new building. Trustee Benjamin McQuistan, of Washington township, will erect a four-room school building. Trustee Wm. M. Keller, of Jackson township, and Trustee Mark Moody, of Cedar township, will also have new school houses for the accommodation of the more advanced pupils.

Several other trustees are expected to take action in the matter though no more have as yet signified their intention of doing so.

Mrs. Becker and daughter, Miss Marie, of Lima, Ohio, are in the city guests of Mrs. S. K. Blair. The neighborhood children last evening visited Miss Marie and enjoyed dancing, a cake walk and a good time generally.

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THE TEACHERS TAKE THE CITY

Hundreds of Pedagogues in Town.

BRAVE THE STORMS.

Program for the Opening Session.

Beginning of Northern Indiana Teachers' Association Convention.

The teachers have taken the town. Fort Wayne opened her gates today and the members of the Northern Indiana Teachers' association have poured in from every direction. Despite the inclement weather the pedagogues come with smiling faces that show a determination to extract both pleasure and profit from the seventeenth annual meeting. The teachers began arriving yesterday, and since that time every train reaching the city has augmented the crowd. Nearly all regular trains have extra coaches attached, and two special trains today swelled the multitude. The Lake Shore brought in a special and the Lake Erie and Western another—the latter bringing teachers from all stations along the Clover Leaf.

At this hour no definite estimate can be placed upon the attendance except to say that it is growing every hour and bids fair to far eclipse last year's attendance of 2,200 at Kokomo. At 2:30 this afternoon the register at the secretary's office showed an attendance of 1,500, and doubtless several hundred more will arrive this evening.

A reception committee composed of forty-three gentlemen from the Fort Wayne high school meet all incoming trains and escort the visiting teachers to the high school building, where they register and are assigned to the hotels and homes of the city, where everything possible will be done to make their stay with us pleasant. The Wayne hotel has struck the city's keynote with its motto—"The city is yours." The young men of the committee also act as guides to direct the strangers about the city.

Upon the first and second floors of the high school building many meritorious exhibits of school work have been arranged. There are art exhibits by the scholars of Richmond, Elkhart, Tipton, Plymouth, Huntington, Terre Haute, South Bend, Indianapolis high school and others. The Tipton, Lafayette and Plymouth schools also show elaborate exhibits of penmanship. The Prang Educational company of Boston present an exhibit of reproduction of paintings, while D. H. Herman & Co., of Indianapolis, and A. W. Elson & Co., of Boston, show collections of pictures for school decoration.

These exhibits will prove of much interest and value, not alone to the teachers, but to many who are not actively identified with school work.

The high school closed at noon today, but the other schools in the city will remain in session until this evening. A large number of the members are spending the afternoon visiting the outlying city schools, where in each building the teachers and pupils are extending them a warm welcome and showing them the practical, everyday work of the city schools. No special exhibit of Fort Wayne work will be made outside these buildings, but in each school examples of the drawing, penmanship, class work, etc., will be open to the inspection of the guests.

The Indiana school for feeble minded youth is open to visitors this afternoon and many of the teachers embraced the opportunity to visit this magnificent institution. At 3 o'clock the teachers will be addressed by the principal of the school, Charles M. Lawrence, upon "The Training of the Backward Child."

The Northern Indiana Superintendents' club held a round table discussion this morning in the library of the high school building, and in addition to the discussions several new members were admitted. This organization is distinct from the teachers' association.

The first meeting of the association is that of the high school section which convenes in room 5 of the high school building at 3 o'clock this afternoon. It is a round table meeting, and the subjects considered are matters and methods pertaining to high school work. The discussions are led by C. T. Lane, principal of the Fort Wayne high school; John A. Wood, superintendent of the LaPorte schools, and S. B. McCracken, principal of the Elkhart high school.

The first meeting of the general association will be held at Princess rink this evening, and admission is by ticket. Eighth grade pupils of the Fort Wayne schools will render the opening chorus, and Rev. Dr. Moffat will invoke divine blessing upon the gathering. Secretary Felts, of the city school board, will formally welcome the association to Fort Wayne, and the response will be given by J. Z. McCaughan, principal of the Kokomo high school. The retiring president, W. J. R. Stratford, will give an address, followed by the inaugural of the new president, W. C. Belman, of Hammond. The evening's program will be interspersed with some very fine musical numbers.

TO FILE PETITION.

Receiver C. H. Worden Last Evening Went to Indianapolis.

C. H. Worden, one of the receivers of the Fort Wayne Electric corporation, went to Indianapolis last evening to file the petition with Judge Baker for the immediate sale of the works in this city.

Receiver Morris had heard nothing from Mr. Worden at 2:30 this afternoon. It is believed, however, that Judge Baker will grant the request. An effort is being made to reorganize a local company which will bid in the plant and re establish the business in this city.

GREEN GOOSE BURNED.

A Landmark at Tampa, Fla., Set Afire and Totally Destroyed.

A letter received from Tampa, Fla., states that the "Green Goose" has been burned down. The "Green Goose" will be remembered by members of the One Hundred and Fifty-seventh Indiana regiment as the toughest place in Tampa. It was a saloon and gambling den and caused more trouble for the young soldiers than any other one place in Tampa. It is believed to have been set afire.

WRECK IN THE YARDS.

Fast Mail Train Crashes Into a Freight Train at Richmond.

CINCINNATI, Ohio, March 30.—A Times-Star special from Richmond, Ind., says:

The St. Louis fast mail crashed into the rear of a freight train in the yards today. Wm. Dunn, a telegraph operator in the caboose, was killed. The passengers were frightened, but not injured.

TO BE MUSTERED OUT.

One Hundred and Sixtieth Indiana Volunteers Reaches Savannah.

SAVANNAH, Ga., March 30.—The One Hundred and Sixtieth Indiana regiment, Colonel Gunder, reached here today from Cuba, where it has been doing garrison duty at Matanzas. The regiment will be mustered out here probably.

Receiver for Cleveland Waterworks.

CLEVELAND, March 30.—Judge Ricks, of the United States circuit court, has appointed F. C. Howe receiver for the Conneaut Waterworks and Supply company of Conneaut, Ohio. The receivership was asked for by the State Trust company of New York, which holds a mortgage on the property amounting to $125,000 upon which, it is alleged, no interest has been paid since 1897.

LOCAL LINES.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Seevers, of 117 High street—a son.

The county convention of the W. C. T. U. will be held in the city council chamber, April 17th and 18th.

The lecture room of Plymouth church was filled last night with a large audience at the second gospel meeting of the week, and the service was inspiring. Miss Harding sang a solo with pleasing appeal. The theme of the sermon, this evening is—"The Sovereignty of Character."

Ora Seaney, while in Chicago, Tuesday, purchased 150 pattern hats from one firm, seventy hats from another, twenty-eight from another, and twenty-seven from another; also sixty-two trimmed spring hats, making altogether the largest consignment of patterns ever sent to eastern Indiana.

Rev. Edward Mathews, of the Helping Hand mission, says he has had good women at work at the mission every day and would keep them if he had outing flannel for them to make up. He believes there are in Fort Wayne well-to-do benevolent people who can and will send goods to keep busy these honest toilers. There are meetings day and night at the mission. The poor are received free. Others are charged five and ten cents for lodging.

The Open Window club, an association of boys from twelve to fifteen years of age, gave an entertainment last night at Dittoe's hall, in Lakeside. The hall was well filled and the club entertained its guests with a most pleasing program that was presented with a finish and smoothness that indicated thorough preparation. After the entertainment those who wished remained and a short interval of dancing followed. The occasion was highly enjoyable and will be long remembered by the club and its friends.

"Our Nation in War," complete in 16 parts, can be had at this office at 10c each. 15tf

RESOLUTIONS ARE NOW READY

Twelve Will be Acted On Tonight.

ENGINEER IS BUSY.

The City Owns the Seidel Alley.

Records Show That It Was Vacated in 1860 and Accepted in 1863.

For several months City Engineer Randall has been the busiest man in Fort Wayne and the fruits of his persistent labor will be borne this afternoon when he presents twelve resolutions for street and alley improvements to the board of public works. When THE SENTINEL visited him this morning Mr. Randall was putting the finishing touches on the plans for the last of these improvements. The resolutions are as follows:

For paving Calhoun street to a width of forty feet from Wallace street to DeWald street. Property owners petitioned for block asphalt.

For paving Brackenridge street from Calhoun street to Fairfield avenue to a width of twenty-eight feet. Property owners petitioned for sheet asphalt.

For paving Lavina street from Fairfield avenue to Broadway a width of twenty-eight feet. Property owners petitioned for sheet asphalt.

For paving Holman street from Calhoun to Barr to a width of thirty-two feet and from Barr to Hanna to a width of twenty-six feet. Property owners petitioned for sheet asphalt.

For paving Creighton avenue from Holton avenue to Lillie street to a width of thirty feet and from Lillie street to Walton avenue to a width of twenty-four feet. Property owners petitioned for vitrified brick.

For grading Esmond street to a width of twenty-eight feet from Calhoun to Lafayette streets.

For grading Jane street to a width of twenty-eight feet from Leith to Esmond streets.

For grading and paving with vitrified brick the alley between Washington and Jefferson streets from Barr to Clinton.

For grading and paving with vitrified brick the alley between Wayne and Washington streets from Clinton to Barr.

For grading and paving with brick the alley between Clinton and Barr streets from Berry to the first alley north.

The paving of South Calhoun street, Brackenridge street, Lavina street, Holman street and Creighton avenue will exhaust the $10,000 originally appropriated by the city council for street improvements, and streets which may be paved later in the season must be paid for out of the additional appropriation of $13,000 recommended by Comptroller Berghoff. It will be impossible to award contracts before the first or second week in May.

CITY OWNS ALLEY.

Records have been found which settle the ownership of the alley between the store rooms on Calhoun street occupied by I. Mautner & Co. and Abdill & Taft. Mr. Seidel finds an agreement made in 1860 between himself and Mr. Ewing which vacates ten feet for a public alley. Mr. Seidel at that time paid Mr. Ewing $200 to enter into the agrement and yield up the ten feet. In 1863 the city accepted the ten feet as a public alley. This means that the Seidel alley cannot be obstructed by private citizens and the city officials have authority to order the removal of the stairway therein.

LOUIE HAS SIGNED.

He Will Play With the St. Louis Browns During the Season.

Louis Heilbroner has signed with the St. Louis base ball club and will not be seen manipulating the pasteboards at Robison park this summer. Just what Louie will play THE SENTINEL does not know, but he is a good actor in any position and there is no reason why Messrs. Robison and Becker should regret having secured his services. He can't handle a rake, a spade, a bat or a ball, so it is reasonable to suppose that he is going to handle the money or advertising. Mr. Heilbroner met F. DeHass Robison in Cleveland yesterday morning and agreed on terms for the season. M. S. Robison will have complete control of the Cleveland team.

GONE TO PIECES.

A French Bark Lost, But Fate of Her Crew is Unknown.

LONDON, March 30.—The name board of the new French bark Marechal Lannes, of 1,711 tons, Captain LePetit, which sailed from Swansea day before yesterday for San Francisco, together with large quantities of wreckage, including hatches and a skylight, has been washed ashore in Broad sound at the western extremity of Wales and near the entrance to Bristol channel. The fate of the crew is not known.

THE ROOT WILL.

Contest Has Commenced in the Circuit Court.

Claim Made That He Was a Resident of New York State — Court Notes.

Judge O'Rourke commenced this morning to hear evidence in the case of Mrs. Helen Lincoln vs. Mary A. Ewing, in which plaintiff attempts to set aside the will of Louis B. Root, deceased. The contest hinges on the legal residence of Mr. Root. Mrs. Lincoln contends that his home was in New York state and his will would, therefore, be subject to the laws of the Empire state. If the court holds that this claim is true, Mrs. Lincoln, who is a sister of Mr. Root, will be entitled to one-half of the wealth left by her brother. She offered evidence that Mr. Root voted in New York and paid campaign assessments to the political parties in that state. The will was filed in Indiana and Mrs. Ewing, who is administratrix, and by the will of Mrs. Root, who died a few weeks after her husband, heir to the estate, contends that the laws of Indiana should govern. Hon. T. E Ellison and M. H. Bohen represent the plaintiff and Hon. J. H. Barrett and S. R. Alden appear for Mrs Ewing.

NOTES.

In the circuit court Edward C. Pelz and Frank Kritzer have commenced suit against Frederick L. Barthold for possession of real estate and damages. Hartman & Stokes are plaintiff's attorneys.

Justice Bullerman fined Arthur Knox $1 and costs for killing a dog belonging to Belle Nimtz.

Sheriff Hull, of Whitley county, was in Churubusco Tuesday to serve an attachment upon the water and lighting company in which the White National bank of Fort Wayne is plaintiff, the claim being $500.

The case against Emmett Martin for alleged trespass was dismissed by Justice Bullerman yesterday. An affidavit has been filed against Frank Martin, Emmett's brother.

In 'Squire France's court Fred Kingsley commences suit against the J. F. Schell Loan and Investment company for $25 on note.

The last will and testament of the late Margaret Eakin has been filed for probate. She will her property to her daughter, Kate Stewart Eakin, and names the heir as executrix.

Charles Haiber has qualified as administrator of the estate of Jacob Racine, deceased.

John M. Oswald has commenced suit for $500 on note against the J. F. Schell and the directors of the Loan and Investment company. B. F. Harper is plaintiff's attorney.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Henry Revert and Laura V. Devaux.

James M. Galley and Emma Simeons.

WALSH'S DEPUTIES

Will be Named by Saturday, When They Must Commence Work.

M. V. Walsh, township assessor, is appointing his deputies and by Saturday expects to know who they will all be. He will have fifteen assistants and they are expected to complete the assessment of personal property within sixty days.

The assessment of real estate has about been completed. In some portions of the city it is much increased and in other portions much reduced. Altogether, however, Mr. Walsh says there will be an increase.

DEBS MAY COME.

The Trades and Labor Council May Bring Him Here to Lecture.

The secretary of the Trades and Labor Council is in correspondence with Eugene V. Debs and he may be brought to Fort Wayne to lecture within the next three months. Mr. Debs is not actively engaged as the representative of any labor organization at present, but is devoting his time in advocacy of social democracy. He has spoken in Fort Wayne quite often and has many acquaintances here who are always pleased to hear him.

Try a package of shredded whole wheat biscuit. For sale by all grocers.

THE MARKETS.

CHICAGO, March 30.—Wheat—May, 73⅛@73¼¢; July, 73¢.

Corn—March, 34¼¢; May, 35¢; July, 36⅝¢; Sept., 37⅛¢.

Oats—March, 26⅛¢; May, 26⅛@26⅜¢; July, 25⅜¢.

Pork — March, $8 95; May, $9.15; July, $9.27½.

Lard—March, $5.20; May, $5 30@$5.32½; July, $5.42½@45.; Sept., $5 57½.

Ribs — March, $4.62½; May, $4.75@$4.77½; July, $4.87½; Sept., $5.00.

Flax—Cash N. W., $1.25¢; Cash S. W., $1 21; May, $1.23½.

Ask your grocer for shredded whole wheat biscuit.

UNLOADING HER CARGO OF DEAD

Transport Crooke at Her Wharf.

HEROES OF THE WAR.

Those Who Fell in Cuba and Porto Rico.

A Guard of Honor Saluted Each Casket as it Came Over Ship's Side.

NEW YORK, March 30.—The United States transport Crooke, having on board the bodies of 686 American soldiers and civilians who lost their lives in the American-Spanish war was moored alongside the government dock in Brooklyn today and the work of discharging her cargo was commenced.

Captain Buck, with company I, of the Thirteenth United States infantry, awaited the arrival of the vessel. The transferring of the pine boxes containing the caskets from the ship to the wharf was slow work. Padded cradles were swung from derricks and as each casket was lowered over the ship's side the soldiers composing the guard of honor saluted.

The work of transferring the remainder of the caskets from the ship to the dock will probably occupy the greater part of three days, as the boxes are only swung over at the rate of one every five minutes.

When the caskets reached the floor of the dock they were put on a litter and carried by four men to different parts of the wharf, so that identification by relatives or friends would be facilitated.

Lieutenant Robinson, of Ohio, who went to Cuba for the purpose of identifying bodies, is ill with typhoid fever. He was removed from the Crooke to the Long Island college hospital.

The wife of Brig. Gen. Ezra Ewers is also sick. She was removed from the Crooke to the Park Avenue hotel in this city.

THE WARSHIPS SHELL SAMOANS

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the admirals arrival and gave a brief resume of the then existing situation, which must have appeared somewhat grave at that time as the admiral reports that it had improved during the interim.

The dispatch of the 18th referred to by the admiral was in reality dated Sydney, the 16th, but the admiral had no means of knowing the exact date upon which it would be forwarded from Sydney, but his calculation was that it would be upon the 18th. This dispatch probably left Apia, according to the calculation of the officials at the navy department, on the 10th and described the situation at that time.

This was before the actual trouble, which, according to the press dispatches, had been in progress eight days when they left Apia on the 23d. There is considerable mystery surrounding the statement given out today and the explanation offered, as it seems almost inconceivable that the admiral should have made no detailed report of the stirring events which were occurring during the eight days prior to the departure of the dispatch from Apia.

Hams and Eggs.

Fresh Country Eggs, 12½c doz.

Picnic Hams, 6c; Regular Hams, 9c.

Shredded Whole Wheat Biscuit, 12½c package.

Grape-Nut Butter, 15c can.

Nutoca—for shortening and frying, used same as lard, but only about half the quantity required, free from animal fat, for sale only at

THE GREATEST GROCERY.

Colored Murderer Hanged.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., March 30—James Reed aged twenty-two years was hanged today. Reed shot Mrs. Susie Blakestry to death in her home in a fit of jealousy. He died on the same scaffold on which his father, Martin Reed, died in 1894 for the murder of his wife, Jim Reed's mother.

Transferred to the Trust.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, March 30—Deeds have been filed in the county recorder's office transferring the property of the Cleveland School Furniture company to the American School Furniture company. The latter is the recently organized school furniture trust. The consideration is not stated.

There was one drunk in police court this morning. Mayor Scherer sent him to jail for fifteen days.

FREE! FREE!

2,000 Bottles of

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The New Cure for

Bronchitis, Colds, Catarrh, Coughs and Asthma,

to be given away by

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Beginning **Monday, March 27,** and continuing for one week, **Free Treatment** of the remedy will also be given.

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Libbing & Co. Loan Office and Second Hand Store.

the place to store your household goods. Good clean rooms, we will take down your heating stoves for the summer, store, black, repair them and set them up in the fall. Rates reasonable.

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Evergreen and cheaper than sod - - - - **20c lb**

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GARDEN SEEDS

In bulk, fresh and true to name. You can save postage and commission by buying of us.

FLOWER SEEDS

We carry a full line. Now is the time to start pansies, asters and sweet peas.

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Seasonable Goods.

One Minute Cough Cure.
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Laxative Bromo Quinine,
etc., sold by

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MONEY!

Can be saved to no better advantage than by placing it with the ALLEN COUNTY LOAN AND SAVINGS ASSOCIATION, 32 East Berry Street. Any number of shares can be taken at any time. Six per cent. interest is paid on all classes of stock. No fees to investors. Money to Loan for any Purpose.

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Such beauty in Skirts has never been realized as in the latest creation

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They surpass all other imitations of silk; one can hardly believe that they are not real silk, the deception is so perfect. These goods are mercerized—a new process which make them stronger. They will not tear or stretch—in eleven colors and in fast black.

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Money Loaned In Small Or Large AMOUNTS.

Without delay and at smallest rates on household goods, pianos, horses and wagons, carriages and other like security on a new easy payment plan.

All business private and confidential.

The property is left in your possession.

It pays to borrow of us.

Give us a call.

INDIANA MORTGAGE LOAN CO.,

Room 3, Arcade. Upstairs. Open Saturday evenings from 7 to 8:30.

EMMETT MARTIN,

Manufacturer of the

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For cellars and basements, and UNION HEATER for bath. Lathe and all kinds of Machine work. Telephone 370 South.

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Payments arranged on the monthly installment plan or to suit you. Business strictly confidential.

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Teeth Extracted Without Pain.

Set of Teeth	$5.
Gold Crowns	5.00
Porcelain Crowns	5.00
Bridge Work	5.00
Gold Fillings	$1.00 up
Silver Fillings	50c up

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The Stearns is Different

—from every other wheel—in that every part is made in their own factory—each part is distinctive—to itself—the design is original—not copied from any other wheel.

A fine distinction you say. But there IS a distinction. The Stearns is as far removed from the "assembler's" wheel as can be.

The Stearns is the product of one of the largest and oldest factories in the world, after designs of their own, combining rigidity, strength and beauty to a remarkable degree.

$50 for the usual model.

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Have no equal in tone.

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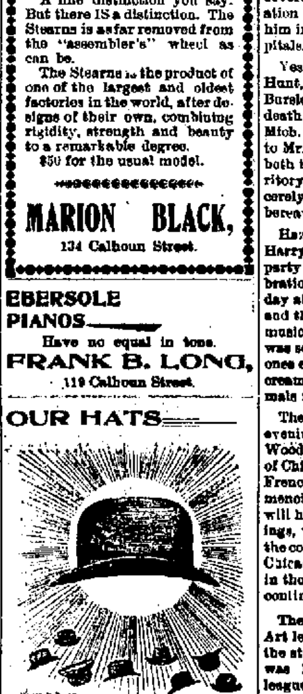

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LOCAL NEWS.

Mrs. T. H. Coleman has returned from Grand Rapids.

Miss Edna Rouss left today for Notre Dame to spend Easter.

Miss Jennie Dickover, of Auburn, is visiting her parents in this city.

Mrs. R. G. Thompson will go to Chicago Saturday for a short visit.

Hugh Beaver will leave tomorrow for a visit with friends in Evansville.

Miss Ella Winchester, of Richmond, is the guest of Mrs. Lane, of 146 Clinton street.

Mrs. L. O. Hull has issued invitations for a reception for Thursday afternoon, April 6.

Miss Edith Welsheimer left yesterday for Bluffton to attend the Sturgis-Robison wedding.

Dr. G. W. McCaskey is at Chicago, and last evening read a paper before the Chicago Medical society.

Among the visitors to the city yesterday were Mrs. F. C. Pamel and Mrs. W. C. Johnson, of Montpelier.

Lawrence Heiny, who has been a clerk at the Freese & Ranke drug store, will take a similar position with Gross & Pellens next Monday.

Frank Haney, who has been a member of the Tenth regiment, Ohio volunteers, has been mustered out and returned to this city this morning. Mr. Haney enlisted at Toledo.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Dunkle are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Maxwell, in Auburn. Mr. Dunkle has about recovered from the effects of an operation for appendicitis performed on him in one of the Fort Wayne hospitals.

Yesterday afternoon Charles S. Hunt, traveling salesman for G. E. Bursley & Co., received word of the death of his mother in Adrian, Mich. The death was a great shock to Mr. Hunt, and his many friends, both in Fort Wayne and in the territory in which he works, will sincerely sympathize with him in his bereavement.

Hazel Keplinger, daughter of Harry Keplinger, entertained a party of friends at a birthday celebration from 3 to 6 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Games were played and they were also entertained by music. A prettily arranged supper was served of those things the little ones enjoy most, consisting of ice cream and numerous figures of animals filled with bon bons.

The Society of Art will meet this evening at the home of Mrs. C. B. Woodworth, and Mrs. McMurphy, of Chicago, will give a talk on the French impressionist painters. Commencing April 10th, the society will hold an exhibition of oil paintings, water colors and etchings from the collection of Albert Roullier, of Chicago. The exhibit will be held in the public library building and continue for one week.

The annual exhibit of the Student's Art league opened last evening at the studio. An informal reception was held, the members of the league serving as a reception committee. The pictures exhibited this year are works of exceptional merit some of them being by the three foremost Indiana artists, Messrs. Adams, Forsythe and McGinnis and others by young artists of Chicago whose works were at the recent exhibit of the league in that city. A number of the pictures are by artists of Fort Wayne. Mrs. G. F. Felts and the Misses Irma Seavey, Agnes Hamilton, Emma Buchman, Lella Collins, Norah Hamilton, Alice Hall, Jessie Hamilton, Miss Hallensleben and Miss Winch are among those whose pictures are hung in the exhibit.

Miss Helen Gilmartin is visiting Chicago friends.

Theodore Becker is at Grand Rapids on a business trip.

E. H. Porter has returned to his home in Huntingdon, W. Va.

Mrs. L. Schloss, of Ligonier, is the guest of relatives in this city.

Mrs. W. H. Hoffman has returned from a visit in Pottstown, Pa.

Miss Katie Fox, of Garrett, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. C. B. Beaver.

Miss Dora Peterson, of Decatur, is the guest of her cousin, Miss Jessie Winch.

Mrs. Hugh Dougherty and Miss Cummins, of Bluffton, were in the city yesterday.

Mrs. J. H. Sweringen returned yesterday to Delphi after a visit with relatives here.

Henry H. Corey, of 191 Jackson street, will remove to Van Wert, Ohio, in a few days.

D. S. Van Pelt, of LaPorte, is visiting in the city, the guest of P. D. Potter, of 142 Jackson street.

Mr. and Mrs. William G. Griswold have returned from Westfield, N. J., and will reside permanently in this city.

J. M. Bassett, of 20 Lincoln avenue, left yesterday for South Bend, where he has accepted a position in the Studebaker Wagon works.

Miss Florence Hall and Miss Maud Jenness will give a dinner party this evening at the home of Miss Jenness, in honor of Miss Nellie Patton, who leaves Saturday for Chicago.

Dr. C. B. Stemen returned yesterday afternoon from Van Wert, Ohio, where he attended the golden wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Norris, who are old-time friends of Dr. Stemen.

The following building permits have been issued: Peter Borg, addition to dwelling on lot No. 30, Purman's subdivision, cost $600; Michael Kinder, addition to dwelling on lot No. 50, Laselle's addition, cost $500.

SCHOOL ENUMERATORS.

List Selected by the Board of Education Last Evening.

The school board last evening appointed enumerators to list the children of school age in the city this spring. The gentlemen selected are as follows: Phil Lordier, A. C. Nierman, A. Schnoesenberger, R. C. F. Rayhouser, Thomas Shelvey, S. L. Ferguson, John Fissel, M. N. Webber and C. C. Casterline.

Better Butter

Some Say

Grape-Nut Butter

WHY DO WE EAT

Sugar, Fat, Starch, Etc.

Nature demands as building materials from which to make a human body, Water, Albumen, Fat, Sugar, Oxygen, and 13 minerals. Grape-Nut Butter contains the Fat, Albumen, Sugar and all of the fine particles of potash, iron, lime &c., &c., just as found in food, for this is food and no artificial substance of any character whatever is permitted in Grape-Nut Butter. It is therefore a more perfect food than ordinary butter, and it's flavor is such that users are universally attracted to it.

Grape-Nut Butter is made by the Postum Cereal Co., Battle Creek, Mich., and sold in tins by all first-class grocers at 10 and 15 cents.

FOR EASTER.

The Charming Display at Wm. Meyer & Bro.

One of the most attractive window displays for gentlemen that has been seen in this city for a long time, is that of Wm. Meyer & Bro., 80 and 80½ Calhoun street. The window is handsomely decorated with an Easter-display of neckwear, hosiery, slumber robes, pajamas, etc., the bright colors harmoniously blending together, giving a charming effect and arresting the glance of every passer-by.

Bismarck's Iron Nerve

Was the result of his splendid health. Indomitable will and tremendous energy are not found where stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels are out of order. If you want these qualities and the success they bring use Dr. King's New Life Pills. They develop every power of brain and body. Only 25c at Dreier & Bros.'s drug store.

For Sale.

WANTED—A purchaser for complete furnished room on Calhoun street. Furniture all new. Furniture, carpet, grate and draperies all go at a sacrifice if sold at once. Call at Woods Tailoring Co., 115 117 Calhoun street. 30tf

For Rent.

Two handsome rooms for two gentlemen, furnished or unfurnished, or office room only; 33 Pixley building.

Judge Hartman, of Auburn, was in the city yesterday on legal business.

Fred Cost, of Huntington, shook hands with his Fort Wayne friends yesterday.

Will Snell and sister, Mrs. Frank Driggoo, of Auburn, spent yesterday in Fort Wayne with friends.

Misses Bertha and Blanche Spencer, of South Bend, are guests of Rev. and Mrs. Moffat for the week.

Mrs. Ed Rodgers, who has been ill at her home, is much improved, and her husband left for Toledo yesterday.

Daniel Hutzell has purchased the Kuntz residence and business property at the corner of West Main and Mechanic streets.

TO THE TEACHERS.

A Cordial Invitation is Extended to the Visiting Teachers

To Call at Our Establishment During Their Sojourn in Fort Wayne.

Whether purchase is contemplated or not, we will consider it a privilege to show our elegant stock of spring dress goods and silks.

Spring man-tailored suits, capes and jackets.

A special discount from regular trade prices allowed to teachers.

The unfolding beauties of the approaching season can be aptly applied to the magnificence of our stock. Radiant with the inspiring colorings, resplendent with the soft shadings, our spring styles seem to bask in the sunlight of the spring.

New Easter gloves.
Now Easter ribbons.
Now Easter laces.
Now Easter parasols.

In our ready made department, second floor (take passenger elevator) we show very attractive styles in silk waists, tea jackets, wrappers.

New mackintoshes.

Ladies' suits, silk lined jackets, from $6.00 upwards.

We want to meet you and show you the grandest stock of spring goods in the state. Anybody will direct you to the

BEE HIVE,
60 Calhoun St.,
THE FRANK DRY GOODS CO.
Agents Bazar Patters.

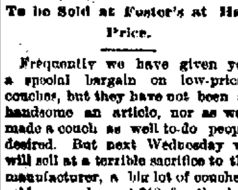
Commencing Monday, April 3d, the Edmund Electric Construction Co., will have their office open evenings from 7 to 8:30 p. m. Room 4, Schmitz block. Phone 262. 29-12t

MORE FUN AHEAD.

Wednesday, April 5, a Car Load Of Fine Couches

To be Sold at Foster's at Half Price.

Frequently we have given you a special bargain on low-priced couches, but they have not been as handsome an article, nor as well made a couch as well-to-do people desired. But next Wednesday we will sell at a terrible sacrifice to the manufacturer, a big lot of couches, sold everywhere at $18, for the low price of three "9s", $9.99.



None sold until next Wednesday. See them displayed in our big window on Clinton street. This "ad" will not appear again. Cut it out and post it up where you will be reminded of it next Wednesday—"early in the morning."

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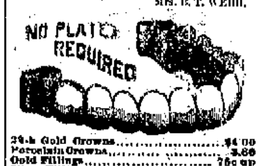

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BY E. A. E. HAGRETT.

THURSDAY, MARCH 30, 1899.

TONIGHT.

Northern Indiana Teachers Association—Meets at Princess Rink at 7:30 p. m.

Gospel Services—At Plymouth Congregational church.

Helping Hand Mission Meetings—Every night at No. 16 West Columbia street.

Volunteers of America—Gospel meeting at armory, 238 Calhoun street.

Religious Meeting—Hanna Street Baptist Mission.

Gospel Services—Grace Reformed church. Sermon by Rev. McGaw.

Special Gospel Lenten Services—Rev. L. J. Motschman at Christ's Evangelical Lutheran Church, corner of Jefferson and Webster streets.

Board of Works—Regular meeting.

Knights of Labor—Regular meeting in K. of L. Hall.

Theosophical Society—Regular meeting in Tri-State building.

Lodges—Ben Hur Court No. 96; Wayne Tent, No. 54, K. O. T. M.; Summit City No. 36, A. O. U. W.; Harmony No. 19, I. O. O. F.; Liberty Council, Knights and Ladies of Columbia; Modern American Fraternal Order.

Masonic Temple—Attractions for the week: Waite Opera company.

AFTER being well drubbed by the American and British warships, Mutaafa still wants Samoa trouble. He will probably get it.

FROM the testimony elicited at various times during the investigations of the late war, it has become clear that Egan's mouth is in no better condition than the best he furnished the army.

IN THE open the entire Filipino army could not stand long against a few regiments of our troops, especially if cavalry maneuvers were practicable. But in the rocky and jungle-grown country to the north of Manila the Filipinos are able to make the American advance both slow and full of annoyance. American persistence has made the doom of Malolos certain.

THE attitude of the mayor and the majority of the city council in the electric lighting franchise matter is justified by all common sense views of the situation. The city has set out to own a lighting plant and when the time comes that this is to be done all conditions should be right and ripe for successful inauguration of the project. It is well that the council has disposed of this question so promptly, thus preventing its becoming a deeply vexed matter.

THE further we get away from Abraham Lincoln the more thoroughly are his accomplishments appreciated. The martyred president made no pretense as to literary ability, and yet he never penned a sentence or uttered a sentiment that did not stand the criticism of the most critical. A third of a century after his death comes the London Publishers' circular, and referring to a recent volume of Lincoln's letters and speeches as a true example of classical English, declares that his use of the language has never been surpassed by any English speaking writer. While his style combines dignity, fervor and vigor in the highest degree, it is never pompous, forced or theatrical.

THE TEACHERS' CONVENTION.

Fort Wayne has a warm welcome for the teachers of northern Indiana who are here in annual convention. Of many conventions held in this city none has had more dignified character or more vital import to society. There bright, cultured, earnest and hard-working men and women have the keeping and development of the youth upon whom within the period of another generation must rest the cares of society and the burdens of state. As they are trained now so will the future citizens perform. The school teachers of the country, therefore, are the real conservators of the national welfare—a great army of devoted men and women more potent for the preservation of the republic than an army with banners and bayonets.

In no state of the union have the public schools been brought to a higher degree of educational usefulness than in Indiana. The system in this state is the chief pride of every intelligent and patriotic Indianian. It is indeed a magnificent system of public education, splendidly endowed and in its development and working brought very near perfection. The early builders of the state provided well for public education, but they did not create the system. The large part in that work has been borne by the teachers themselves, those who have been devoted to their profession with an ardor that could overcome many discouragements. Fort Wayne's visitors this week form a large part of this great educational system and they are a worthy part of it. As representatives of a high and noble profession and as teachers in Indiana schools, they are doubly welcome to the city.

POPULAR SENATORIAL ELECTIONS.

There are two issues that have shaped themselves and they are almost forced on the democratic party. The daily formation of oppressive trusts to stifle competition and effect artificial monopolies in the production and price of nearly every necessary of life has startled the country and created an uneasiness which the party of trusts will find it hard to quiet. Another is brought to the front by recent records of corruption that must shock the moral sense of mankind and menace the very safety of the country. In the election of United States senators by legislatures in the past few months, there have been instances of bribery so numerous and so open as to be almost incredible. How far this crime has advanced we may judge from the disposition of some of the corruptionists to defend the act, as when the speaker of the California assembly posed as an injured man because he was forced to resign merely for taking money for his vote. That there are senatorial vacancies is because rich brutes with no conception of the requirements of common honesty have in some cases bought up enough legislators to prevent an election, being unable to buy enough to elect; not because of the honesty of the majority, we are told, but because of the watchfulness of rival candidates.

There is no more shameful chapter in the history of American politics and nothing more dangerous to our national life. Are we to allow the youth of the land, the coming legislators, to acquire the idea that such corruption is to be tolerated? Are we to keep adding to the list of senators men who owe their seats to bribery? There is only one way to prevent it, and that is by the election of United States senators directly by the people. If the people are corrupt or can be corrupted, then the evil has gone so far as to make it immaterial whether the senate is corrupt or not. There have been reasons for the present system, but they have vanished. It has been said that by making senatorial elections popular we increase the danger of having the party bosses dictate the choice. But it is far easier for a boss to control the legislators than the people.

The many scandals of this year touching senatorial elections seem to have been developed by a watchful providence in order to impel the country to apply the sole remedy before it is too late—before the country becomes too familiar with the spectacle of bribery to be indignant. Both parties are involved and the issue ought to appeal more strongly to the masses than it yet has.

BATTERY BOYS.

Fort Wayne Artillery to Enter the State Service.

Captain Rauke Ordered to Reorganize the Zollinger Battery—Will Proceed at Once With the Work.

Capt. W. F. Rauke this morning received orders from Adj. Gen. J. K. Gore directing him to reorganize the Zollinger battery for muster into the state service, and Captain Rauke will soon proceed with the work of forming the new organization. The battery was originally Battery E of the Indiana national guard, and locally known as the Zollinger battery. At the opening of the war with Spain it was mustered into the United States army as the Twenty-eighth Indiana light artillery, and was mustered out of the national service in October. Since that time there has been no artillery organization in Fort Wayne, and the orders received this morning make it certain that the battery will be revived. The term of service will be three years, and an entire new equipment, including new breech loading guns, will be furnished. Captain Rauke will move at once in the matter, and says the recent war has infused the military spirit into the people to such an extent that there will be no difficulty in recruiting the new battery to the maximum number of members allowed by military regulations.

A STRIKING PAINTING.

The Scout of the Big Horn or the American Vedette.

"In that desolate land and lone,
Where the Little Big Horn and the Yellowstone
Flow down their mountain passes."

Mr. Longfellow's introduction to "Revenge of Rain-in-the-Face" is a fitting one for the Vedette, one of the leading paintings in the Montgomery collection at Minor's studio. The word vedette comes to us from the French and carries with it the idea of police authority—a mounted policeman. Into that land of vast desolation, on that fateful spot where Custer and his army met their untimely death, Mr. Montgomery has journeyed and painted "The Scout of the Big Horn or the American Vedette," an audacious frontiersman, riding forth isolated and alone, unknown to fear, fully able to cope with the wily Indians. The pent up energy of the mount, the sympathy between the horse and man, in short a typical American character. This canvas is one of a large number of American ideas this aspiring artist will exhibit at the Paris exposition next year. This collection can be seen until 10 o'clock evenings, the studio being lighted for the occasion.

PAYS MONEY TO RECEIVER.

J. A. Edwards, of Chicago, Turns Over $10,000 to Avoid Litigation.

LOGANSPORT, Ind., March 30.—The stockholders of the Logansport State National bank, the institution that was wrecked by John F. Johnson, have received from J. A. Edwards, of Chicago, $10,000 which was paid to compromise a matter brought up by Joseph W. Selden, receiver of the bank.

Selden on March 3rd filed a petition in court here, stating that he believed Johnson had forwarded $116,000 to Edwards to be used on the Chicago Board of Trade, that Edwards had paid back part of the money to the bank, and the petition asked leave to compromise with him for a sum of not less than $10,000 without litigation. It further stated that Edwards was believed to have knowledge that Johnson was using bank funds.

The order was granted and the money was paid over. The receivership will now be closed as the result of the recovery of his money. Seldon secured his information from letters which Johnson left in the bank when he was arrested. He has served nearly two of the ten years given him for appropriating over $500,000 to his own use and aid in gambling in grain. Receiver Seldon says more brokers will be required to pay back money placed by Johnson.

Rockefeller's Railway.

TACOMA, Wash., March 30.—John D. Rockefeller's railway from Everett to the Monte Cristo mines is being built as rapidly as possible. The construction gang has reached Stillaguamish canyon, where the roadbed was swept away by flood in November, 1897. A dispatch from Everett says there is little doubt that in sixty days trains will be running to Monte Cristo and the mines there will be again in operation.

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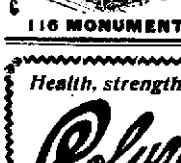

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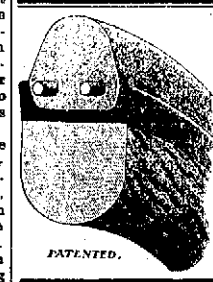

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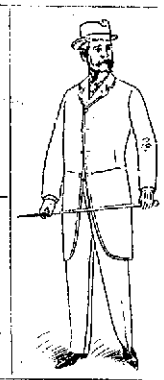

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Ladies' New Skirts in Taffeta Silks, Satin, Crepons and Brocaded effects, sheath skirts, flounce effects, trimmed and plain, at **$8.90, $10.00, $12 50, $15.00** and up.

New Spring Jackets

Ladies' and Misses' New Spring Jackets, in tan and brown mixtures, dip fronts, and half tight fitting, lined throughout, at **$3.90** and **$5.00.**

Ladies' New Spring Jackets, in plain and twill Covert Cloth, lined throughout with silk, the newest styles in Spring Jackets, at **$6.90, $1.00** and **$12.50.**

Ladies' New Spring Jackets, in plain, Black Clay Worsted and Cheviot Cloth, silk lined throughout, at **$8.90** and **$10.00.** They are splendid value and fully worth $15.00.

New Spring Capes

New Spring Capes in cloth, beaded and braided, lined and unlined, at **$1.39, $2.25, $3.38** and **$3.98.**

New Cloth Capes, in Clay Worsted, Ladies' Cloth, with mercerized lining, plain, beaded and braided, flounce effects, medium and extra long lengths at **$5.00, $5.90, $7.50, $8.90** and **$10.00.**

New Spring Capes in a large variety of styles in plain and brocaded Silk, Velvet, Lace and Ribbon trimmed, flounce effects, beaded and braided, at **$2.98, $3.38, $3.90, $4.50, $5.00, $5.90, $6.50, $7.50, $10.00** and up to **$15.00.**

Ladies' Neckwear

All the newest ideas are to be found here. Just received 200 dozen ladies' new stock collars, in all colors, at **50c** each.

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100 dozen Ladies' Fine Kid Gloves, in all the new shades of tan, mode, green, black, etc., 2-clasp and embroidered backs, at **75c** a pair.

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The newest and most desirable styles are being shown by us, for Neckwear, Sashes, etc.

New Striped Ribbons, New Fancy Ribbons, New Plaid Ribbons, etc., at **5c, 10c, 15c, 19c, 25c, 29c, 39c, 50c** a yard and up.

New Satin Ribbons at **5c, 10c, 15c, 20c** and **25c** a yard.

New Double Faced Satin Ribbons at **29c, 35c, 45c** and **50c** yard.

New Satin and Moiree Sash Ribbons in black and white and all colors, from **25c** to **75c** yard.

New Fancy Shirred Ribbons in Taffeta, Satin and Moiree effects at **5c, 8c, 10c** and **12½c** yard.

New Silks

Wash Taffetas, in new checks and corded stripes, at **45c** and **50c** yard.

New Taffetas, in brocaded and fancy stripes, plaids, corded satin stripes and large barred plaids, beautiful effects, at **75c, $1.00** and **$1.39** yard.

New Silk Moreens, in the latest shades of cerise, blue, green, purple, also black, at **50c** yard.

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IMPORTANT RULING.

Charter Gives Right to Fix Fares.

The Pennsylvania Loses an Important Suit at Indianapolis.

The United States circuit court for the district of Vermont has given the two-cent fare law recently passed by the legislature of that state a "black eye." According to the decision of the court the charter rights of a railroad were secured to the stockholders as a contract between the state and the company and that the proposed attempt to reduce rates would virtually result in the state's taking away private property without due process of law. The Vermont legislature last November passed a bill requiring all railways operating over fifty miles of line wholly or partly in the state to keep on sale at the principal stations mileage tickets to be used by any one presenting them at the rate of 2 cents a mile. The trustees and preferred stockholders of the Rutland railroad brought suit to restrain the road from obeying the law, claiming that the original charter gave the company the right to fix its own rates of toll. Judge Wheeler, before whom the case was tried, took the foregoing view of the matter and directed the railway company not to sell mileage tickets at the rates provided for in the state law.

Labor Outlook Bright.

L. P. McCormack, state labor commissioner, reports that wages are on the increase in almost all parts of the state. The exceptions to this rule are in the glass industries, where the introduction of mechanical blowing machines has reduced the number of workmen where the machines are used and necessitated a reduction of wages in the factories where they are not used. The reason for increasing the wages of the men in other industries, the commissioner says, is an increased demand for factory output. Most all of the factories are running full time and some are working the men over time, and there is a disposition wherever the factories are making money to increase the wages. Upon the whole, the commissioner says, the situation is very encouraging.

Aiding a Canadian Enterprise.

The Canadian government will give substantial assistance to the projectors of the Hudson Bay railways. It is proposed to grant a subsidy of $480,000 and 5,000 acres per mile for a line of railway connecting with the Canadian Pacific. This will form the westerly route to Hudson Bay. It is also proposed to grant $350,000, together with the land grant, to the James Bay railway, which, starting near Sudbury, will end at Lake Abitibi, thus making an easterly trunk line to Hudson Bay. These railways, it is understood, will open valuable agricultural and mining lands.

The Company Lost the Suit.

A case involving the right of the county commissioners of Marion county to open a street through the yards and shops of the Pennsylvania company at Indianapolis has been decided in favor of the commissioners and the street will now be opened through the property. The case has been pending in the supreme courts nine years. The railway people threaten to abandon their shops there and move the machinery and men to some other city.

A Land Company's Smart Trick.

A correspondent in Indianapolis, writing to the St. Louis Globe-Democrat, tells of the origin of the law forbidding the building of railway lines through cemeteries in Indiana. "The Chicago and West Michigan railroad," says the correspondent, "has been entering Chicago over the tracks of the Michigan Central from its junction with that road at New Buffalo, Mich. They proposed a line of their own into Chicago and succeeded in purchasing the right of way for all their proposed route except a strip in Lake and Porter counties, owned by the Knickerbocker Ice company, of Chicago, which contained valuable deposits of sand. The road filed condemnation suit. The ice company secured forty or fifty "stiffs" from medical colleges and constructed a cemetery. They then easily secured the passage of their graveyard bill. The road will have to make extensive roundabout purchases of right of way."

Wonderful Increase in Earnings.

Fifty-seven roads reporting to the United States investor for the second week of March show gross earnings of $7,691,361, against $7,274,196 for the corresponding week of last year, being an increase of $417,165. Of the roads reporting forty-four show increased and thirteen decreased earnings. Since January 1st last the same roads earned gross $75,713,545, against $72,554,962 during the corresponding period of last year, an increase of $3,158,583. For the longer period thirty-four of the roads show increases and twenty-three decreases.

General and Personal.

Dave Roche, of the Pittsburg blacksmith shop, is sick.

Station Master J. W. Clark, of the Pittsburg, is attending the Masonic meeting in Indianapolis.

Engineer Thomas Telley, who runs a switch engine in the Pittsburg yards, is sick and off duty.

Frank Royce and Joseph Gruber have taken positions in the Wabash shops. The former is a machinist.

The Lake Shore is receiving on an average two new consolidated engines a week from the Brooks Locomotive works.

J. A. Wise resumed his place in the Pittsburg tank shop this morning. Two weeks ago he was injured while at work there.

William Bracht, engineer at the electric works, is on duty again. He had been detained at home by the illness of his wife.

Engineer Amos Sine, of the Pittsburg, is taking a lay off to entertain some school teachers who are stopping at his house.

George Ebner and his wreck crew went down to Elida this morning to pick up a couple of cars that were ditched a few weeks ago.

L. E. Rohling, who had a wrist sprained a few days ago, resumed his place at the forge in the Pittsburg shops this morning.

G. L. Hackins has returned home after a trip into the southern peninsula of Canada in the interest of the Kerr Murray Manufacturing company.

Joseph and Peter Nichter, who had been attending a funeral at Huntington, resumed their respective places in the Wabash shops this morning.

Fred Meyers, a Wabash engineer who lost an arm at Detroit several months ago, has recovered sufficiently to leave the company's hospital at Peru.

Considering its mileage, the Monongahela Connection railroad is the best paying line in this country. Last year this line earned $202,979 and it is only three and one half miles long.

Charles Olds, jr., has decided to not learn the trade of a machinist and has retired from the Pittsburg shops, after working there about two months. He will probably fit himself for a profession.

Road Foreman Frank Ray and Assistant Road Foreman Chris. Colmey, of the Pittsburg, are out on division C today, looking after affairs in their department. Mr. Ray is now pretty well acquainted with the engine men.

Engines 128 and 268 were turned out of the Pittsburg shops this morning and are now being tested before going into service. Engineer George Kinsell has charge of the former and George Miller has charge of the latter.

J. F. Corcoran, trainmaster of the Toledo division of the Pennsylvania lines, is very sick. During the disability of Mr. Corcoran, J. N. Kreck, of the Cleveland and Pittsburg, will be the acting trainmaster of the Toledo division.

There is less sickness at present among the employes of the Pittsburg machine shop than at any previous time within the past three months. The list this morning contained only about seven names, and some of those were men who have been ill for a long time.

A break in the stationary engine at the Wabash machine shop caused a suspension of operations there for an hour or two. The accident occurred last evening and, although men worked all night in repairing it, it was 8 o'clock this morning before the machinery in the shop was started up.

Tonight George Stoll, a machinist, will resign his place in the Wabash shops and next Monday he will leave for Port Huron to take a position in the shops of the Grand Trunk road. He is an intimate friend of Gaither DeVilbiss and Jacob Gehring and it is at their request that he goes to that city.

Supt. J. W. Hunter, of the Grand Rapids and Indiana road, announces that the state convention of the Universalist church will be held at Rome City from August 24th to September 24th this year. This is a very important church body and quite a feature for Rome City.

Engineer Miller, of the Pittsburg, who had his hand injured last Saturday, is not getting along very well. He did not consider the injury of much consequence at first, but it now threatens to lay him up for a week or two. The accident occurred in a peculiar manner. When Mr. Miller reversed the lever of his engine, one of the big class X, his elbow struck against a frame and the heavy lever coming against the hand with great force, sprained the wrist and the entire hand.

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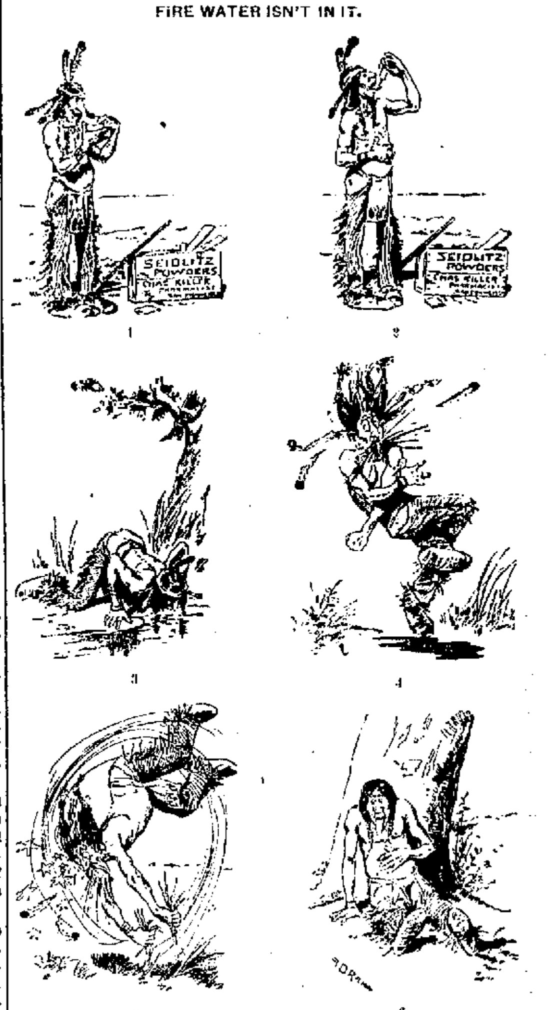

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THE NEWS OF THE LODGES

Affairs of Most of Them Are Dull.

SOCIALS AND HOPS.

Entertainments Are Being Arranged.

Rooms for Railroaders in the Hospitals Are Ready to Be Furnished.

No. 19 is arranging to go to Huntington in the near future and do the floor work at the organization of a new society in the Lime City. At the last national convention some revision in the ritual was made and printed copies of the changes have just been received by the Fort society. The new ritual will be used at the meeting and the president is desirous that every member should be present and see the work.

The society will give an entertainment and social in the new apartments in the Elektron building on the evening of April 11. The drama, "Vice Versa," will be presented by the members of the society, and the committee in charge is sparing no pains to make the entertainment a pleasing one.

G. A. R.

A campfire will be given Friday evening at the hall of Anthony Wayne Post, G. A. R., in the Bank block. The program is as follows:

Volunteer ...... Chorus.
America ...... Assembly
Invocation ...... Rev. Spellman.
Marching Through Georgia ...... Assembly
Recitation ...... Miss Spellman.
Solo. We Will Stand Before the King ...... Mrs. Wood.
Recitation, A Lock of Hair ...... Miss Jamison.
Sleeping for the Flag ...... Chorus.
Recitation. The Angelic Husband ...... Mrs. Wood.
Music ......
Address ......
Farewell Address ...... Commander Cary.
Music ...... Chorus.
Address ...... Rev. Spellman.
Patriotic Song ...... Chorus.
Refreshments—A Soldiers Cheer, A Soldiers Fare, Pork, Beans, Hard Tack and Coffee.
Music ...... Chorus.
Addresses by Comrades ......
Battle Hymn of the Republic ...... Assembly.
Benediction ...... Rev. Spellman.
"Home Sweet Home."

ROYAL TEMPLARS OF TEMPERANCE.

Fort Wayne council, No. 8, held a very interesting meeting last Friday. The council is growing rapidly in membership and members display much interest in the work of building it up. The council will initiate several members tomorrow evening. After the regular work is done a social good time will be had. Every member is invited to bring a friend.

DAUGHTERS OF WORKMEN.

The Daughters of Workmen are at present one of the busiest lodges in Fort Wayne. Next Tuesday evening, April 4, the lodge will initiate a class of at least twenty-five new members. There will be a cake walk after the new members are initiated and a program consisting of recitations, singing, etc., will be rendered. All members are requested to be present.

K. O. T. M.

Wayne Tent, No. 54, K. O. T. M., will meet tonight in regular review. A good class of men will be shown the mysteries of the order.

Hive No. 6, L. O. T. M. and Wayne Tent, No. 54, K. O. T. M., will give a masquerade ball at Mulqueen's hall, Monday evening, April 3rd.

UNION VETERAN LEGION.

Encampment No. 51, Union Veteran Union, will give a social Monday evening, April 33, at their hall, corner Clinton and Main streets, in honor of H. H. Corey and wife, before his removal to Van Wert, Ohio. Mr. and Mrs. Corey are held in high esteem by comrades.

PATHFINDERS.

Wilbur Wyatt, of this city, has about perfected the organization of a Pathfinder's lodge in Huntington. He has arranged for the degree team of the Fort Wayne lodge to do the work when the Huntington lodge is instituted.

MODERN SAMARITANS.

Herrick E. Stephens, chairman of the Order of Modern Samaritans of the World, supreme headquarters at Elkhart, is in the city. He will assist in organizing a congress of the order here. There are about thirty-five charter members.

BEN HUR.

Fort Wayne Court, No. 96, Tribe of Ben Hur, will hold a regular meeting this evening, at which one candidate will become a "son of Hur." After the initiation there will be a social session and a banquet served by the ladies of the order. It is desired that all members of the court attend the meeting.

Ben Hur Court, No. 15, Tribe of Ben Hur, will meet for the first time in their new quarters, Maccabees' hall, No. 109 Calhoun street, next Monday evening. All members are requested to be present as business of importance will be transacted. The court held an important meeting Monday evening and disposed of considerable unfinished business. Especially important was the decision of the court to remove into the Maccabee hall, in the old SENTINEL building, on Calhoun street. The court now has over 150 members and it was necessary to secure larger quarters than those on Court street. Every son and daughter of No. 15 should attend the next meeting and assist in the house warming.

ORDER OF EASTERN STAR.

There will be a special meeting of the Order of the Eastern Star tonight at the Masonic hall. A full attendance of members is requested.

DEGREE OF HONOR.

Degree of Honor No. 2 will give a tea at their hall, No. 109 Calhoun street, next Tuesday afternoon from 3 to 6 o'clock. This is the regular meeting night, and everything will be cleared away before the meeting hour.

E. F. C. T.

The E. F. C. T. auxiliary will have a very important meeting in the B. of L. E. hall Monday at 1:30 p. m. Arrangements will be made for the north side social at this meeting. Every member of B. of L. E., B. of L. F.; O. R. C. and B. of R. T. auxiliaries are invited to attend the meeting and learn of the work that has been done the past year. The ladies have been notified that the rooms at the hospitals are now ready and they will be furnished for occupancy next week.

THINK THIS OVER.

A Rational Remedy for a National Trouble.

To say that hemorrhoids or the disease commonly known as piles is a national disease may be slightly overdrawn, but it is quite certain that at least one in every four persons is so afflicted.

Because it is common and not immediately fatal many suffer for years without giving the trouble any medical attention.

Moreover, the rather general impression that a surgical operation is the only cure, has much to do with delaying attention until the disease becomes deep seated and chronic.

Sufferers from piles should know that the Pyramid Pile Cure is better than a surgical operation; it cures without pain; it causes no detention from business, and the cost is trifling, all druggists selling it at 50 cents per package.

The astringent effects of the acids in the Pyramid Pile Cure speedily contracts and restore to their natural condition the blood vessels of the affected parts, and as it quickly dissolves in the rectum, the remedy soothes and heals the irritated surfaces, and these two things are the only necessary requirements for a cure.

The principal danger from piles is the liabilities to chronic ulceration of the rectal tissue, and nervous exhaustion from the loss of sleep and attendant pain and irritation. All these symptoms the Pyramid quickly relieves and the fact that it is the most popular and widely sold of any pile cure is quite conclusive evidence of through merit. If you suffer from bleeding, itching or protruding piles try a fifty cent package tonight. Ask your druggist for Pyramid Pile Cure.

THE SAVIOR SURRENDERING.

Sermon by L. J. Motschman at Christ's Lutheran Church.

Rev. Motschman last night continued the course of sermons on "Thoughts Upon the Savior," taking as a basis of his discourse the words, "Not my will but Thine be done." He said that the Savior's struggle in Gethsemane was one of the fiercest of His life. It was a struggle between heaven and hell, between life and death. The Savior wished that some other way would, if possible, be provided. In His yielding to the Father's will, three facts become apparent: (1) It was a free surrender. There was no compulsion whatever. When Lee surrendered to Grant he could not avoid it, but when Christ surrendered to this severe ordeal he did it of his own free will. (2) This surrender was in reality to an unselfish work of selfsacrifice, but it is of a selfish character. Many a household suffers many comforts and pleasures at home in order that they may shine in society. Were their selfsacrifice used for the benefit and uplifting of others it would be more Christian. Christ's self-sacrifice was for others. (3) This free-willed and unselfish sacrifice is in every respect a fitting example for us. Christ's life has never been equalled. It is in its entire purpose and bearing worthy of our closest imitation.

This series of sermons will be closed Friday evening at which time will be given the "preparatory sermon" prior to communion services on Easter. A full attendance is desired at this preparatory service. Easter night there will be no sermon but instead an entertainment by the Sunday school. Tonight Rev. Motschman will speak from the theme, "The Savior Giving Life," the reference being John 11:19, which all are requested to study before they come tonight.

"Our Nation in War."

ARE NOTES GOOD?

Hugh Dougherty Was Examining Them Today.

Directors of Schell Concern Were in Conference Again Without Result.

Hon. Hugh Dougherty, of Bluffton, was in Fort Wayne today and for a time was in consultation at the office of the J. F. Schell Loan and Investment company.

He examined the notes of the directors with a view of determining whether a certain clause in them made them non-negotiable.

Whether he came at the solicitation of the directors or somebody else THE SENTINEL did not learn. What his decision will be remains to be seen.

The directors held another long conference with their attorneys, but President O'Rourke stated late this afternoon that there was nothing new which would interest the people. He was piqued, too, at the unauthorized statement that an effort was being made to negotiate a loan.

J. F. Schell is still at his home in care of deputy sheriffs and his condition is such that no effort will be made to move him at present. Several friends attempted to make a bond signed by fifteen persons, no one of whom should be responsible in case of default for more than $200. The prosecuting attorney refused to accept such a bond and the matter has been dropped.

LAWS NOW IN FORCE.

Those With Emergency Clauses Sent Out by Secretary of State.

The office of the secretary of state yesterday received from the printer and sent out copies of all the more important laws passed by the last legislature with emergency clauses attached and which are now in force. The acts included are as follows:

Prevent railroad location on cemetery lands, house bill 74; concerning contributory negligence, senate bill 27; county commissioners' and auditors' duties, special session, senate bill 124; free gravel road construction, sale of bonds, house bill 541; justice of the peace fee bill, senate bill 14; money tendered in court, senate bill 79; highways, amendments, house bill 119; school fund, bulletin boards, county auditors, house bill 311, free gravel road construction amendments, house bill 89; county commissioners, specifications on file before contracting, house bill 115; fish, taking of, protecting waters from pollution, senate bill 138; medicine, practice of, amendments to, house bill 252; reporters for courts, shorthand, house bill 202; highways, and supervisors, township trustees, house bill 332; street improvements, cities less than 12,000 inhabitants, house bill 480; publish statement of allowances by courts, house bill 569; taxation, mortgages, credit on, senate bill 17; teachers' certificates countersigned, senate bill 457; labor, unskilled, 15 cents per hour, house bill 596; bonds, free gravel road, legalized, senate bill 230.

Bankruptcy Proceedings.

John C. Vought, of Kendallville, today filed a petition in bankruptcy with United States Commissioner Logan, of this city. The liabilities and assets are small. R. P. Barr, of Kendallville, and S. L. Morris, of this city, are Mr. Vought's attorneys.

LOCAL LINES.

Dick Lieber, of Cleveland, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. William Streicher, has returned to his home.

Mrs. M. L. Ross, of Berry street, was called to Sturgis, Mich., to the bedside of her brother, M. D. Stacy, who is very ill.

Mrs. Louttit, Mrs. Ridenour and Mrs. Omo return this evening from Wabash, where they have been attending a W. C. T. U. convention.

Story of a Slave.

To be bound hand and foot for years by the chains of disease is the worst form of slavery. George D. Williams, of Manchester, Mich., tells how such a slave was made free. He says: "My wife had been so helpless for five years that she could not turn over in bed alone. After using two bottles of Electric Bitters she is wonderfully improved and able to do her own work." This supreme remedy for female diseases quickly cures nervousness, sleeplessness, melancholy, headache, backache, fainting and dizzy spells. This miracle working medicine is a godsend to weak, sickly, run-down people. Every bottle guaranteed. Only 50 cents. Sold by Dreier & Bro., druggist.

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The island of Cebu, in whose capital the sovereignty of Uncle Sam is just now maintained by a battalion of the Twenty-third regular infantry, is a very desirable bit of real estate. It is rich and fertile and good to look at. It is a little larger than the state of Delaware and ten times as populous. It doesn't produce so many peaches, however.

In shape Cebu looks a good deal like Cuba on the map, but it is nowhere near as large. It is 135 miles from one end to the other, and its extreme width is 30 miles.

The city of Cebu, next to Manila and Iloilo, is the most important seaport of the Philippine group. That is why General Otis sent an expedition to gobble it up so promptly after he had given the Filipinos a decisive thrashing. Sugar and hemp are the chief products of the island, and immense quantities are shipped from there.

Before the war considerable American capital was invested there. One of the largest planters, an American named Wilson, was driven out by the Spaniards just before war was declared. The island outside of the city of Cebu is still unsafe for Americans, for the Filipinos have organized insurgent forces there, and they had not been driven off the island at last reports.

Cebu is a place of great historical interest, for it was one of the first islands Magellan saw when he discovered the Philippine group, and it was there, where the city now stands, that he stopped with his fleet. On the neighboring island of Mactan Magellan was killed by the natives.

Magellan stopped at Cebu in 1521 and made a treaty with the king of the island by which that ruler became a subject of the king of Spain. The dusky king agreed to accept the Christian religion, and he and his principal chiefs, with several hundreds of his subjects, were baptized. Then Magellan crossed to Mactan, where the inhabitants refused to accept Spanish rule, and he was killed by the natives.

After the death of Magellan the king of Cebu threw off his allegiance to Spain and broke out into open revolt. He murdered 27 of the Spaniards, including Serrano and Barbosa, who had

MILITARY BARRACKS IN CEBU.
[Now occupied by United States troops.]

been chosen by the sailors to succeed Magellan in command of the expedition. The surviving Spaniards burned one of their ships and with the other two escaped from the harbor.

Thus ended Spain's first attempt to establish her authority in the Philippines. One of the ships which escaped from Cebu, the Victoria, with 18 men left alive of the crew, finally reached Europe by way of the Cape of Good Hope, thus completing the first circumnavigation of the globe.

So Cebu is the oldest Spanish town in the Philippines and the scene of the first colonial revolt against the authority of the Spanish crown.

The people who inhabit Cebu today are mostly of the Malay breed, closely resembling the Tagals on the island of Luzon, but they are more sociable in disposition. This trait is marred, however, by a desire for strong drink. In the hills are a people who are supposed to be pure blooded descendants of the original inhabitants, the Negritos, but the number is inconsiderable, and they seem to be dying out.

The natives are much given to tattooing themselves, just as they were in the days of Magellan. Often the entire body is covered with grotesque figures. For this reason the Spaniards at first called the country Islas de los Pintados, or Island of Painted Men.

Ten years ago the population of the island was estimated at 518,000. There are good roads for driving, especially in the vicinity of the city of Cebu. The climate is healthful, and the weather is never excessively hot.

The population of the city of Cebu is 10,000. It was founded by the Spaniards soon after Magellan's death and was the capital city of the Philippine group until the establishment of Manila in 1581. It is a cathedral city and a bishop's see.

Before the war there were generally at least a couple of American ships in the harbor taking on cargoes or discharging American manufactured goods, petroleum, etc. The city is a dirty one now, and its narrow streets need the ministrations of a Colonel Waring badly. With a little care, however, it could be made a healthy and attractive place. From the sea it has a most picturesque appearance.

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ALLEN'S SUCCESSOR.

New Senator From Nebraska a Retired and Wealthy Lawyer.

Monroe Leland Hayward, the senator elect from Nebraska, who has been chosen to succeed William V. Allen, is a retired and wealthy lawyer. He is 65 years old. He has held two minor state offices, having been a member of the Nebraska constitutional convention in 1875 and having served for a short time on the bench in 1880, when he was appointed by the governor to fill out an unexpired term.

Senator Elect Hayward is a native of New York. He was born in Essex county, the same county which produced ex-

MONROE L. HAYWARD.

Governor Merriam of Minnesota, who has just been appointed director of the census. He comes of an old Revolutionary family.

When the civil war broke out, he was a young man of 27. He enlisted in the Twenty-second New York infantry, and was afterward transferred to the Fifth cavalry. He was discharged in December, 1862, owing to disability arising from sickness.

On returning home he entered Fort Edward Collegiate institute, where he completed his education. His father had removed to Wisconsin and young Hayward followed. He studied law at Whitewater and went to Nebraska in 1867, settling at Nebraska City, where he has resided ever since and practiced his profession.

Judge Hayward of Nebraska was the Republican candidate for governor last fall, cutting the fusion majority down from 18,000 to 3,000. He has a wife and one daughter and two sons, one of whom, Edwin P., is a surgeon in the United States army, and William H. is a lawyer and was a captain in the Second Nebraska regiment during the late war.

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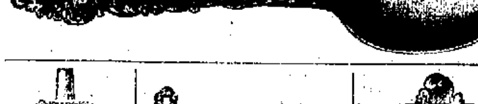

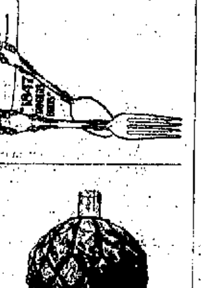

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COUNTING noses is a job Uncle Sam undertakes every decade. Early in 1900 he will go at it for the twelfth time. It is such a big job, however, that he has already begun his preparations. The late congress passed the necessary bill, and just before it went out of existence the senate ratified the nomination of ex-Governor Merriam of Minnesota to be director of the census. An assistant director has also been appointed. In some respects the census of 1900 will be a bigger affair than that of 1890, and in other features it will not be so big. In addition to taking the census of the United States and Alaska, the newly made Americans in Hawaii will have to stand up and be counted. Whether or not the census will be extended to Porto Rico or the Philippines remains to be determined. The census act is operative wherever the civil law of the United States is in force. Porto Rico is still under military rule, as are the Philippines and Cuba.

On the other hand, the census of 1900 will not be so complex as the preceding one, for the enumeration of statistics will be limited to those facts which relate to population, mortality, agriculture and manufactures. Facts for other statistics will be gathered from other sources.

Thus the general enumerator will have only four schedules to master and carry on his rounds as against the 12 of the last census, and in cities and agricultural districts where special agents will be appointed for agricultural and mortality statistics he will have only one subject to attend to—that of population.

The work, thus simplified, will be quickly finished and the census reports may be looked for within a comparatively short time after the actual enumeration has been finished. They will also be much less bulky and will be contained in about six or seven volumes.

The special reports, which will be in one way the new feature of this census, will, it is expected, occupy the time of the skilled collectors of statistics between the taking of the twelfth and thirteenth census, and a permanent census bureau will thus be practically established.

These reports will cover the ground covered by the eleventh census, with the exception of such subjects as have been found practically impossible for census enumeration from past experience or as are already covered by some other department of the government. The subject of transportation, for example, on which the eleventh census had an exhaustive and valuable report, will be omitted in the twelfth census because the work is now covered by the interstate commerce commission.

The cost of taking the last census was $11,500,000. It is expected that the coming census will cost much less, possibly $9,000,000, but there are those who have their doubts about this.

A force of 60,000 employees, a body almost as big as our enlarged standing army, will be required to do the work. Besides the chief, his assistants, expert statisticians and hundreds of clerks, there will be 300 supervisors, one to each congressional district, and about 50,000 enumerators, men with book and pencil who will do the real hard work of census taking.

There is in Washington a dingy looking building on E street which bears

TAKING THE CENSUS IN HAWAII.

the brave label of "Census Bureau." But just at present it is a hollow shell. When Census Director Merriam went to look at it the other day, he found that the force with which he had to begin his work consisted of one solitary man. This was Chief Clerk William A. King. He alone of all the great army of figurers and questioners that compiled the census of 1890 remained. He had as apparatus piles of musty records, the chaff from which the wheat of fact had been winnowed, a lot of desks and a dozen or so worn out typewriting machines.

So there must be created out of the dead ashes of the past and from the traditions left by former census takers a new bureau. But there is this advantage about this census army—it is not necessary to have it all in line before the advance can be made. One division does its work before another is created. The census bureau of ten years ago began its work in 1889, but the last report was not issued until 1897, eight years later.

When the day of its usefulness has passed, congressional appropriations for the census bureau commence to dwindle, and after the facts have been collected a much smaller and much more skilled clerical force is needed for compiling them. The first people to go are those farther from the heart of the census in Washington. The enumerators, having finished their house to house canvass, report to the main office, send in their results, which are certified, and, having received their modest remuneration, are struck from the pay rolls.

When their labors have been digested and generalized, the clerks who have been employed in corresponding with the enumerators are also dropped from the pay rolls. Their labors are taken up by men higher in authority and digested again and generalized. Reports are made to the chief of the census, who approves them, and the final step having been taken they are sent to the government printing office, where they are printed and distributed throughout the world.

As the refining process goes on and the apparently disconnected mass of reports asked by the census enumerator of the great American citizen is thrown into the vast caldron which a thousand census employees keep stirring and simmering the pure metal of solid and significant fact finally sinks, the reports grow smaller and more compact, and fewer men are required to handle them.

Finally, as report after report is completed and issued, the bureau dwindles to a mere shadow of its former self. In June, 1897, the census bureau employed about one man to every hundred that it employed at the height of its greatness. At last only one man was left.

From now on the revival of the census bureau will be rapid, and by June

THE ENUMERATOR IN ALASKA.

the preliminary work of organization will be well advanced, although it will be another year before the men with big question books start out on their rounds.

There is already much speculation among the population experts—numerous species of cranks—as to what the new count will show. This virile and progressive nation has generally been prolific of surprises to people interested in such statistics in each of its decennial census sheets. Those who look for sensations in the growth of states and cities in all quarters of the country have seldom been disappointed since the census of 1840, by which time the settlement of the great west was under full headway.

But it seems probable that the high tide in these particulars was reached in 1890, and an impression now prevails that there may be some disappointments in store for them when the returns for the ten years ending in 1900 are scanned.

Beyond mere aggregates, in themselves interesting, the compiled census returns will reveal many noteworthy facts. For instance it is absolutely certain that the center of population has changed. Just 100 years ago it was located as 18 miles west of Baltimore. In 1890 it was 20 miles east of Columbus, Ind. Since then it has probably moved west another peg.

From the tables which will be prepared the American citizen may learn the number of dwellings in each state and the average number of families in each, the nationality of the inhabitants of the largest cities, the number of people engaged in each of the various occupations and a whole lot more of curious information.

Of course Director Merriam knows no more about collecting statistics of this kind than many other men, for his life has been devoted chiefly to banking and politics. But it is not necessary that he should be a figure expert. He can hire any number of statisticians to do the work. Assistant Director Frederick H. Wines is one himself. Director Merriam will do the organizing and allot the offices. This in itself is a task which calls for special qualifications of no ordinary nature. He will receive a salary of $6,000 a year, and his job will last for several years. But this is not a large salary for a man who is to have the spending of millions.

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A RUSH OF RECRUITS.

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Thousands of Mustered Out Volunteers Glad of a Chance to Get Into the Regular Establishment—All Want to Go to Manila.

Back to the army again, sergeant,
Back to the army again.
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—Kipling.

When the army reorganization act became a law just before the late congress gave up the ghost, there were 40,000 men in the regular service. As the new establishment is to number 65,000 men, this left room for 25,000 recruits. The response to the war department's call for three year enlistments has been prompt. At all the recruiting stations hundreds of men who are anxious to wear the army blue call every day. The war spirit is not all spent.

Among the recruits accepted nearly one-half are former volunteers who have been mustered out since the close of the war with Spain. They are all anxious to get back to the army again. Most of them waited for many weary months in southern camps expecting to get a chance to go to the front. They are after adventure. They want to do some shooting.

Uncle Sam is very glad to get these ex-volunteers. In the first place, they are already good soldiers, not quite up to the regulars, of course, but infinitely better than the raw material which must be licked into shape.

In the second place, these recruits are of a better class, as a rule, than those who offer themselves during times of peace. The latter are generally men who have made a failure of everything else and have taken to the army as a sort of asylum, where they will at least be assured of clothes and board. Army rations are positively luxurious when compared to the uncertain fare which a man without a job must often put up with.

The prospects are that the regular army will be increased to the new standard of 65,000 men within two or at most three months. This means that recruiting is going on a great deal faster than usual. In times of peace the war department has often had difficulty in finding enough good men to keep the army up to its former size of 25,000.

The thousands of volunteers who have had a taste of army life and like it are

BACK TO THE ARMY AGAIN.

doing much to swell the ranks. Many of them, when they enlisted for war last spring, cut business and domestic ties and have not yet knotted up those loose ends. So they are free to seek adventure wherever opportunity seems to offer. These men are welcome additions to the army, and every inducement to secure them will be made. They will receive credit for their volunteer enlistments, thus enabling them to secure continuous service pay, but will be obliged to join the army for the prescribed period of three years, volunteer service not counting as part of this.

Nearly all the recruits who have applied for enlistment in the regular army in the last few days have asked to be assigned to regiments under orders to proceed to the Philippines or already there. There will be no trouble in accommodating these men, as it is intended to fill up the Philippine regiments immediately.

The same opportunity presented to the volunteers in this country who want to go into the regular establishment will be given to volunteer troops in Cuba and the Philippines. There are no volunteers in Porto Rico. It is believed that many of the volunteers now engaged in active campaigning against Aguinaldo's forces will re-enlist in the regular army.

All the volunteer troops in the Philippines will be brought home for muster out, but such of the enlisted men as desire to remain in the service will receive their discharges at Manila or wherever they may be stationed in the archipelago and permitted to enlist in the regulars. They will be entitled to continuous service pay, travel pay from the place where they would have landed in the United States to the places of enlistment in this country and six months' clothing allowance.

With such encouragement and the chance of being sent to distant lands and seeing active service there is an unprecedented rush to join the army. At the principal recruiting station in New York from 500 to 600 applications are being received every day. Only about 40 per cent of the men pass muster.

Recruits have as much latitude as is practicable in selecting their regiments. The department notifies a recruiting officer what regiments require men, and it is hard work getting men to fill out the regiments that are to stay at home.

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Peter Rijnhart was a Belgian explorer and missionary. He was always fanatical, and shortly after his marriage he became visionary. "He felt himself called" to Tibet, and upon his shoulders had descended so much of the mantle of the old crusade preachers that he managed to awaken his wife to something of his own zeal.

A child had just been born to the couple, but Rijnhart was not to be deterred in his work. He said they would take the baby along. They did. No missionary has ever been allowed to live in Tibet, and those who have tried to preach there have all either been killed or else tortured and transported back to China.

But for awhile Peter Rijnhart's fate seemed to be more propitious. He pass-

MRS. LUCY RIJNHART.

ed the frontier a year ago. He spoke to the natives in his smattering of their own language. He distributed Bibles. The travelers suffered from hunger, from cold, from thirst. Their child died, a little martyr to this latter day crusade.

They reached the farthest point ever tried by civilized man, and then hunger forced them to turn back. One night their horses were stolen, and Rijnhart left his wife while he went to a neighboring village for aid. He never returned.

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All trains arrive and depart from Van Buren Street Union Passenger Station, Chicago.

Uniformed Colored Porters attend first and second class day coaches on through trains, insuring gentlemanly clean cars enroute.

All Nickel Plate Passenger Trains Daily.

EASTERN TIME. FT. WAYNE.	DEPART
Standard Express, No. 6	3 55
Nickel Plate Express, No. 8	3 55
Eastern Express, No. 4	4 10
Local Freight	7 25
WESTERN TIME FT. WAYNE.	DEPART
Standard Express, No. 5	9 25
Western Express, No. 3	11 25
Nickel Plate Express, No. 7	4 35
Local Freight	7 00

Daily except Sunday. Daily except P. M. Daily except A. M.

Through Drawing Room Sleeping Cars on Nos. 2, 4 and 6 to Cleveland, Erie, Buffalo, New York and Boston; on Nos. 1, 3 and 5 to Chicago.

Meals are served in "a-la-carte" Dining Stations and in Nickel Plate Dining Cars at opportune meal hours.

WABASH

Time Table Effective Feb. 19, 1899.

From Fort Wayne.

GOING EAST.

No. 2 Fast Eastern Express, daily... 6:10 a.m.
No. 6 New England Fast Mail, daily..11 55 a.m.
No. 36 Atlantic Express, ... 7:00 p.m.

GOING WEST.

No. 7 Kansas City Cannon Ball, daily.10:00 a.m.
No. 5 Government Fast Mail, daily... 3:45 p.m.
No. 3 St. Louis Limited, daily ..... 6:35 p.m.

Telephone, Bell-House No. 6

ALL TRAINS DAILY.

THE FINDLAY, FT. WAYNE & WESTERN R. R.

Effective January 23d, 1899.

—EAST BOUND.—

Lv. Fort Wayne 5:50 a.m. arr. Findlay 8:20 a.m.
arr. Toledo (via C. H. & D. 10:40 a.m.
arr. Columbus (via T. & O. C.) 12:30 p.m.
Lv. Fort Wayne 3:15 p.m. arr. Findlay 6:00 p.m.
arr. Toledo (via C. H. & D.) 8:30 p.m.
arr. Columbus (via T. & O. C.) 8:20 p.m.

—WEST BOUND.—

Lv. Findlay 7:40 a.m. arr. Fort Wayne 10:05 a.m.
" Toledo (via C. H. & D.) arr. Ft. W. 10:05 a.m.
" Findlay 1:25 p.m. arr. Fort Wayne 4:07 p.m.
" Columbus (via T. & O. C.) arr. Ft. W. 4:07 p.m.

All trains daily except Sunday.

L. S. & W. TIME TABLE.

EASTERN.

No. 41 leaves (except Sunday)	7 10 a.m.
No. 43 daily	4 15 p.m.
No. 111 Local Freight	8 00 a.m.

NORTH.

No. 40 arrives daily	11 40 a.m.
No. 42 (daily except Sunday)	10 15 p.m.
No. 170 Local Freight	4 40 p.m.

LAKE SHORE & MICHIGAN SOUTHERN RAILWAY—Fort Wayne Branch

SOUTHWARD.	ARRIVE
No. 453 Way Freight	2 50 pm
No. 150 (Cin. Express and Mail	11 15 am
No. 416 Detroit and Indianapolis Express	8 50 pm
NORTHWARD.	DEPART
No. 454 Way Freight	5 55 am
No. 7 Through Express & Mail	11 45 am
Detroit & Indianapolis Ex.	8 0pm

The Sentinel's New Premium Offer.

What Do You Think Of It?

We have heard of other people making offers but this one eclipses them all. Here it is, and it is only

Good for 4 Weeks

Remember, if you want this offer, you will have to take it quickly, no putting it off, or some one else will get it

The Sentinel

We appreciate the patronage of present subscribers. You want a portrait; we propose to furnish it. We want new subscribers. Read our offer. During the next 4 weeks one of our representatives will call upon you, showing you a sample of this work, and offer with every THREE MONTHS' SUBSCRIPTION to THE SENTINEL, to enlarge any picture you may present.

The price of THE SENTINEL is only Ten Cents per Week, delivered. All present subscribers are entitled to this Premium Offer. Remember, you don't have to buy the frame to get the picture. Frames furnished, however, at reduced prices.

Has just contracted with THE WESTERN CIRCULATION BUREAU to make them

A Large Number Life Size Portraits.

They are skillfully executed, beautiful hand-finished "India Ink and French Crayons and Pastels" —three-fourths life size, 16x20 inches.

The only expense above the regular subscription price of the paper attached to this magnificent offer, being that the persons availing themselves of it, pay the small sum asked for the portrait.

The Cost!

$1.48 secures an "India Ink." $1.68 French Crayon $1.98 secures an elegant "Pastel," payable upon delivery of Portrait. Now, these are going to be handsome and first-class workmanship.

You Run No Risk.

The work is guaranteed to be faithful productions of the originals and entirely satisfactory to patrons. All originals returned upon delivery of portrait. Do not pay any money for pictures until delivery is made and work is satisfactory.

ANNUAL SPRING DISPLAY

OF

TAILORED SUITS, WRAPS, WAISTS & SEPARATE SKIRTS

We placed on view this week, the climax of Spring display in women's attire for Street Costumes, Jackets, Capes, Silk Waists, Wash Waists, Separate Skirts, Tea Gowns and Wrappers. In confidence that it will give more satisfaction and delight to Fort Wayne women' than any presentation of a like character that has ever been made in this city.

Visiting Teachers are invited to call and look through the store. A hearty welcome will be given you.

Easter Gloves.

The selling of Kid Gloves this week is going to break all records in glove selling. No such a showing has ever been made in this city. Every new and popular shade, all sizes for women and men, ready for Easter selling.

Our $1 Gloves for Women

The Paul L, Voltaire, Windsor, Alice and William 2 clasp button hook, glace and suede

Our $1.50 Gloves.

Perrin's 2 clasp, Charmette, Falcon 2 clasp, Flavia 3 clasp, Servia 2 clasp, Chester 4 hook, 2 clasp Touraine, Fanchon 3-clasp, Contemeri 3 clasp, glace and suede.

Our Finer Gloves.

Perrins 2 clasp Savory, $1.75.
Fowler 5 hook Glace, $1.75.
Centemeri 3-snap Black, $2.00.
Joinville 2-clasp Glace, $2.00.
Reynier 3-clasp Suede, $2.00.

For Men.

Perrins Gloves, all shades, all sizes, $1.00 to $2.25 pair. Men's Gloves fitted to the hand.

Easter Petticoats.

These popular goods are justly favored for spring time wear. The new lines are handsome.

At $1.25, pretty striped Percaline Petticoats.

At $2.00 to $3.75, Metalic Petticoats, black and white and colored, beautiful novelties.

At $4.50 and $5.00, Mercerized Satine Petticoats, plain colors, 3, 4 and 5 ruffles.

At $5.00, elegant black silk Moreen Petticoats.

At $5.00 to $25.00, Silk Petticoats, ruffled and lace trimmed, nearly 100 new ones on sale.

Easter Handkerchiefs.

The new handkerchiefs, have many of them, dainty colored borders.

Colored embroidered Handkerchiefs, 25c up.

Lace edged Handkerchiefs, 25c to $5.00.

Linen embroidered Handkerchiefs, 15c to $3.00.

Swiss embroidered Handkerchiefs, 8c to 25c.

Pure linen Hemstitched, all width hems, 8c, 10c to 50c.

Pure linen unlaundered embroidered Handkerchiefs, 12c to 50c.

Initial Handkerchiefs, 5c to 50c.

Men's hemstitched Handkerchiefs, all width hems, 10c to $1.00.

Easter Jewelry.

This jewelry department of ours has got to be a charmingly attractive place for women, we sell so much.

It is Constantly Freshened

New novelties coming to its cases daily. This Easter showing is full of elegant pieces for this special Easter selling. All jewelry.

Combs, new mounted, shell back combs, Rhinestone and Torquoise settings, $1.25 to $5.00 each. Side combs to match, 50c to $1.75 a pair.

Grecian bands, stone settings, very choice, $2.90 each.

Tiaras, stone settings, $3.00 each.

Bracelets.

The Nethersole, sterling silver, plain and chased, 60c to $2.75 each.

Chain Bracelets, gold and silver, $1.50 to $1.75 each.

Hat Pins, 10c to $3.00.
Brooches, 25c to $2.50.
Belt Buckles, 25c to $3.50.
Persian Elastic Belts, $5.00 each.
Elastic Belt Bands, all colors, $1.50

New Pearl Neck Bands, a dainty novelty, $1.50 to $2.50.

Watch Chains with and without jewels, 50c to $3.00.

New Spring Parasols and Umbrellas.

We have now ready for inspection our new lines of Parasols and Fancy Umbrellas--Plaids and Changeable Silks. The showing of Parasols is the most charming line of novelties ever placed before the ladies of this city.

Easter Neckwear

For Women

Dainty new novelties for Easter week.

Lace Scarfs, $1.00 to $2.25.
Mous de Soie Scarfs, 50c to $1.90.
Liberty Silk Scarfs, $1.00 to $3.00
Jabots, all colors, a large and pretty collection, 65c to $3.00.
Satin Stock Collars, 25c.
Shirred Stock Collars, 25c.
Fancy fronts of Liberty Silk and Mous de Soie, $2.00 to $3.00.
New Stoles, late, choice novelties, white, black and black and white, $5.00.
New novelties in Neck Ruching, all colors.

Easter Neckwear

For Men.

At 50c—English Flats in all the leading styles, plaids, stripes, polka dots, garnet and electric blue.

At 25c—Tecks in admirable assortment, new spring shades.

At 60c—An unusual showing of Tecks in fine, choice silks and satins.

At 50c—Imperials, in choice shades and qualities.

At 25c—Large, new lines of Bows and String Ties.

At 25c—Pretty new Windsor Ties and Bows for boys' wear.

Easter Ribbons.

New Ribbon Beauties "for the neck," effective ribbons for the crushed belts, pretty hair ribbons, new conceits for the spring gown.

3 inch Neck Ribbons, 25c yd.
4 inch Neck Ribbons, 30c yd.
4 inch Taffeta Ribbons, all colors, 25c yd.
4-inch Fancy Ribbons, 25c yd.
4½-inch double face Satin Ribbons, 40c yd.

Elegant Novelties in Bayadere Stripe Ribbons for neck and belts, 65c to 85c.

Handsome Persian Ribbons, the chic novelty of the season, $1.00 a yd.

We call special attention to the lines of extremely handsome and low price novelties in

CHOICE QUEENSWARE,

now on display on second floor.

While in the store test the merits of

SHREDDED WHEAT BISCUITS,

which are being served up daily free of charge.

THE RURODE DRY GOODS CO.

The Evening Sentinel.

THURSDAY, MARCH 30, 1899.

OUR TELEPHONES.

Business Office - - - - - - - 173
Editorial Rooms - - - - - - - 650

The Weather.

CHICAGO, March 30.—For Indiana: Rain in southern and snow in northern portions tonight; Friday partly cloudy, with snow in north portion and colder in south portions; high east to south winds.

LOCAL NEWS.

Hon. Hugh Dougherty, of Bluffton, is in the city.

Miss Ellen Spencer, of Indianapolis, is the guest of friends in the city.

Mrs. J. R. Bittenger has gone to Dayton, Ohio, for a visit of two weeks.

Born, to Groceryman J. D. Doyle and wife, of No. 319 East Creighton avenue—a ten pound boy.

Mrs. H. W. Mackwitz left this morning for Chicago, where she will visit her parents a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hanna have gone to Muskegan, Mich., to attend the wedding of Mrs. Hanna's sister.

Mrs. C. F. G. Meyer, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Sihler, returns to St. Louis today.

The Christian Missionary alliance will meet tomorrow evening at the home of D. A. Wolford, 48 Miner street.

The Misses Reuss and Fox left this morning for a visit with friends at South Bend and Notre Dame university.

Dr. E P. Banning returned this morning from Green Springs, Ohio, where he was called on professional matters.

Dr. W. R. Mayo returned from Celina, Ohio, this morning, where he was called to operate for tumor on Mrs. James Barr.

Mrs. Sarah Chamberlain, of 144 Wallace street, is recovering from an illness, which at one time threatened to prove serious.

Gregory Lauer & Son have received the contract for building a frame store building at the corner of Wells and Fourth streets, for A. L. Dodane.

Mrs. J. Pierce and son of Marion, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. F. Cummings, of 29 Grand street, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Williams of 54 Barr street.

Grandma Howard, mother of Mrs. Alonzo Timmins, of No. 157 Wallace street, is very ill from the effects of la grippe, which has settled on her lungs.

Mrs. T. J. Traxler, of 68 West Butler street, entertained friends yesterday afternoon, in honor of Grandma Traxler, who left today for her home at Lagrange, Ind.

Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Younge and Master Jewell will go to Culver Military academy in the morning. The doctor will lecture before the cadets tomorrow night and remain with his son Lawrence, who is a cadet, until after Easter.

Huntington Herald: "Capt. C. T. Zollinger, of Fort Wayne, was in the city Tuesday evening, and inspected Col. C. E. Briant Camp. Sons of Veterans. He found the camp in first class condition and all its affairs well managed. Capt. C. W. Howett has received his commission as inspecting officer, and will go to Fort Wayne, next Tuesday night, to inspect Col. E. S. Walker Camp, Sons of Veterans. Charles is well informed in camp matters and will make a good inspecting officer."

Home Made Maple Syrup.

Just received thirty gallons nice pure country made Maple Syrup in ½ gallon and gallon jugs, 90c per gallon, jugs included.

Ohio Buckwheat, 10-lb sacks, 30c.

Self Raising Buckwheat, 2-lb and 5-lb package, 8c and 22c package.

WHITE FRUIT HOUSE.

MONEY TO LOAN

On real estate or personal security. C. F PFEIFFER, Rooms 9-7 Bass Blk. 2tf

Easter Novelties.

Nice assortment China Rabbits, Ducks, Chickens, Dogs, Cats, etc., from 5c up to 50c each.

Fancy China Easter Eggs, 4c, 6c and 10c.

Candy Easter Rabbits, 6c dozen.

Candy Easter Eggs, 10c dozen.

WHITE FRUIT HOUSE.

Buy your garden seed, sweet peás, nasturtiums. lawn grass seed of W. D. HENDERSON, 67-69 E. Columbia.

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Eggs for Easter.

Strictly Fresh Eggs 12 doz.
Best Roll Butter, 18c lb.
Good Jar Butter, 10c lb.
Burbank Potatoes, three car loads just received from Michigan, 65c bushel.
Jersey Sweet Potatoes, 35c peck.
Choice Yellow Onions, 19c peck.

WHITE FRUIT HOUSE.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. William Kerlin—a daughter.

Miss Lizzie Crow, of Huntington, is the guest of Fort Wayne friends.

Miss Mamie Benedict is entertaining Miss Lulu McConnell, of Gas City.

A. L. Searles has returned to Denver after a visit with friends in the city.

Fred Kahlenbeck, of this city, is spending the week with his parents in Huntington.

The W. I. B.'s will give a dancing party at White Bank hall next Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Clifford and son Harold, have been the guests of friends at Ridgeville.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hood, a nine-pound boy. Mr. Hood is a clerk for Geo. DeWald & Co.

Timothy Foohey has been granted a permit to erect a dwelling on lot No. 76, Laselle addition; cost, $800.

Mrs. T. L. Palmer, of Richmond, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Amos Loder, left yesterday for Vicksburg, Mich.

Clem Rekers, jr., salesman at the Lehman clothing house, was suddenly taken very ill at the store this morning, and was conveyed to his home.

Miss Estelle Baldwin, of Marion, is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. T. J. F. Cummings, on Grand street, and Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Young of South Broadway.

J. Stanley Orr, traveling passenger agent of the Southern Pacific railway, with headquarters at Cincinnati, is in the city on business for the Southern Pacific.

A scarlet fever card was, this morning, removed from 75 Wilt street. There is at present one case of scarlet fever in the city and no cases of diphtheria.

A residence property at the corner of DeWald and Harrison streets has changed hands three times within a week. It was purchased from Clara Cartwright by C. F. Pfeiffer, who sold it to Dr. J. E. Miller, and he has just disposed of it to Mrs. George DeWald for a consideration of $3,500.

The following Fort Wayne people attended the funeral of the late Mrs. J. W. Wiegand, which occurred at Huntington yesterday: Mrs. Louis Korn, Mrs. Lizzie and Cecelia Wiegand, Otto and Frank Wiegand, Joe Nichter, Peter Nichter, Mrs. Mary Nichter and Mrs. Monica Wiegand

Miss Eva Barr, of this city, who has been the guest of Miss Edna John in Huntington for a week, is now at the home of her mother in Roanoke. Next Sunday Miss Barr will be united in marriage to B. J. Roberts, of this city. After the ceremony they will come to Fort Wayne and occupy a cottage which has been already furnished. Friends of the young couple will congratulate them in advance.

PIGEONS STOLEN.

Eight Birds Taken From William Bersch's Coop Last Night.

The pigeon thieves are still committing their depredations in this city. This morning when William Bersch, of No. 60 West Third street, visited his pigeon coop, he discovered that eight of his finest birds were missing, and there is no doubt that they were stolen. Mr. Bersch is determined to find the thief and believes he knows him. The fellow will be shadowed and if the suspicions are verified prosecution will follow.

Exhibit of shredded whole wheat biscuit at the Rurode Dry Goods store will close Saturday evening. Ladies of Fort Wayne are cordially invited to attend and secure one of those nice cook books with each package. After the exhibit the goods will be on sale at all groceries.

SPECIAL EASTER HATS.

17 new designs in Spring Hats, choice $2.49. Just received from Chicago 275 Pattern Hats, newest colors, many imported Hats in this lot, will be sold for one-half of the jobber's price.

MAN MILLINER, 160 Calhoun St.

WILL C. CLEARY.

Merchant tailor, 11 W. Washington Street, Lau Block. Repairing, etc.

FOR EASTER.

The finest and largest selection of Blooming Plants and Cut Flowers ever shown in this city. They are strictly home-grown; fresh from the Vesey Green Houses.

LYDIA E. AUGER'S,

2814 **16 E. Washington St.**

G. Schmidt, merchant tailor, 57 E. Berry St., makes a specialty of ladies' tailoring. Call and examine work and goods. 27tf

After April 8th we will discontinue giving away pictures for the return of our labels cut from our celebrated bread.

MODEL STEAM BAKING CO. 2913

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Benton, of Main street—a daughter.

Captain Borgman, of the police department, is quite ill at his home. He is threatened with pneumonia.

TEACHERS!

Don't leave the city before seeing our display of elegant styles in Millinery.

MALLOY'S, 12 and 14 Arcade.

THE LIFE LINE

A good tooth filling, properly inserted when needed is like casting a saving life line to a decaying tooth.

Then our office is a sort of tooth life saving station—equipped with every essential of skill experience and facilities for accomplishing it's humane purpose.

Do you know of a tooth that needs our ministrations.

U. S. DENTAL PARLOR.

Dr. J. A. & J. W. Williams, Mgrs.

98 Calhoun St.

HERE YOU ARE!

We can sell you cheaper than any others in the city for the reason we own our own property, therefore we have no rent to pay. Clerks are members of our own family—goods bought for cash and discount taken off. City flour, best, $3.50 a barrel; Minneapolis Ceresota flour, $2.25 a barrel; best Michigan potatoes, 50c per bushel; butter, 15c a pound; fresh meat for boiling, 4c a pound; roast beef, 6c to 8c a pound; surloin, porterhouse and round steak, 10c a pound; chuck steak, 8c a pound; California ham, 6c a pound; sugar cured ham, 9c a pound; breakfast bacon, 9c a pound; Boston baked beans, 2 cans for 5c; sugar corn and tomatoes, 8c per can; soap, 3 bars for 5c; ladies' and children's candee rubbers, 15c a pair; ladies' shoes from $1.00 to $1.50; men's working shoes from from $1.00 to $1.25; good fine kangaroo hand satin calf and Russian dongola, worth $3.00, we now sell for $1.50; children's shoes at your own price. We have feed of all kinds—corn, oats, hay and straw, bran, middlings, shorts, and we keep a supply of notions and hosiery. Remember the place.

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208 Hanna Street.

Established 1872 at 208 Hanna St.

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Money loaned on farm and city real estate at a low rate of interest.

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All City Flour 92c large sack.
Best Potatoes 70c bushel.
16 lb. pails Jelly, 35c pail.
Fancy Mixed Coffee, 14 and 17c lb
9 bars Gloss, Globe and Star Soap 25c. 3 lb can Wax Beans 5c can.

E. Lewis Street Cash Store,

S. GANZER, Prop

MONEY!

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Do you want to borrow money? The Tri-State will loan you money on the famous dollar monthly plan, pay fast or slow—$1,000 for $10.00 per month.

BEST PLAN IN THE WORLD.

INVESTORS

Should call at office for the best plan to save money. $325,000.00 of stock matured in five months. Call at office forfull particulars.

Tri-State Building and Loan Association,

COR. BERRY & COURT.

"A BEAUTY."

A $25

Ideal

BICYCLE,

Which is the prettiest, best constructed, most reliable full-sized wheel ever built for $25.

A few Ramblers carried over from last year, $27.00.

A. C. KATT,

New Store, - 84 Clinton Street, Opposite Postoffice.

REMOVAL! We are now located at Our New Quarters,

135 Calhoun Street,

Between Washington and Jefferson streets. Greatly increased stock of Furniture, Carpets, etc.

J. Y SHOAFF & CO.,

People's Outfitters.

TEETH Extracted Without Pain . . . . .

By our late scientific method Vitalized Air or Gas given if desired. No charge for extracting when teeth are ordered.

We make prices to equal, if not lower than any advertised in Fort Wayne, Burkets' Arcade Dental Parlors, room 7, Arcade, ground floor.

We have lately secured the service of Dr. Prickett who is an expert Plate worker. Dr. Prickett has had charge of some of the largest Dental Laboratories in New York, Chicago, St. Louis and Cincinnati. If you have unused plates, broken plates or plates that don't fit, bring them to us, we will repair them or make them fit; there is no case too hard for us and we GUARANTEE all our work great or small. We have been here for years enough and have done work on the terms to make it easy to find out about us. We can furnish reference from some of the most prominent citizens of Fort Wayne.

GOLD CROWNS AND BRIDGE WORK A SPECIALTY . . . . . .

Come and see samples of all kinds of work.

DR. BURKETTS' Arcade Dental Parlors,

Room 7, Arcade, Ground Floor. Open Evenings and Sundays.

LOANS TO Salaried People.

(Ladies or Gentlemen) on their own names.

ROOM 3, Arcade, Upstairs.

For Sale or Exchange.

A new modern 9-room house on south Calhoun street for sale very cheap, or will trade for smaller property or vacant lots.

Also a nice residence on Main street, the rent pays over 10 per cent, on investment.

Property in all parts of the city for sale or trade.

S. Friestoffer, 5 and 6 Bank Block.

This is the exact size and shape of the PUFF Cigar. The only 10c Cigar that sells for 5c. Made by

Phone 535 KASTEN & KOHLMEYER, 248 Calhoun Street.

IF EFFECTIVE PARTS ARE FOUND IN THE MANSON BICYCLE WE WILL REPLACE FREE AND PAY ALL EXPRESS CHARGES

WE SELL . . . . . .

Mansons $35.
Royals $20.
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Big discount for cash or on easy payments. Sundries and repairing.

BROSIOUS & BROSIOUS, 34 Clinton St.

EASTER

Will soon be upon us and if you intend having your new suit by that time you should place your order now.

GENTLEMEN!

We are showing the greatest variety of spring suitings in this city. Step in and look them over.

I. MAUTNER & CO. TAILORS.